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KEYPORT REELECTED SCHOOL TRUSTEE

ANNUAL MEETING HAS RECORD-BREAKING ATTENDANCE.

The largest crowd ever known to attend a school meeting in Grayling was present at the annual meeting Monday night at the school house, 227 participating in the balloting. Secretary Bates is authority for the statement that the attendance at this meeting was greater than at the last ten annual meetings combined.

There was no particular issue except that there seemed to be some agitation on the part of some factions to elect someone to succeed Dr. C. R. Keyport whose term of office expired at this time. Forces that seemed to be led by Dell Weir were supporting Philip Moran, and Mr. Weir is reported as having claimed that he had 70 votes pledged for his candidate, and it seems that his judgment was about right for Mr. Moran was accorded 68 votes, just two less than predicted. Dr. Keyport received 158 votes, or about two and a half times as many as were accorded his adversary. Dr. Keyport was nominated by Walter Nadeau, and Mr. Moran by R. D. Connine. Mrs. Geo. Burke was nominated by Mrs. Grant Stoner but the former declined the nomination and supported the nomination of Dr. Keyport. When the announcement of his election was made, there was a storm of applause.

Prior to the voting Secretary Bates read the school laws as to whom was eligible to vote and by its interpretation a number were disqualified from voting. In order to be a legal voter one must be a citizen of the United States, 21 years of age and have resided in the district for a period of three months. Besides those qualifications one must, in order to vote any expenditure of money, be a tax payer. And to entitle one to vote for school officers one must possess the first three named qualifications and either or both be a tax payer or be the parent or legal guardian of one or more children of school age.

The first part of the meeting was serene as could be and the reports and appropriations as recommended by the school trustees were voted without opposition and discussion. It seemed that the crowd were there to vote for trustee, and just as soon as that matter had been disposed of many left, not waiting for the close of the meeting.

By the re-election of Dr. Keyport the people placed their hearty endorsement upon the past management of our school affairs. It seems that the schools were never in better condition than they are at the present time. The attendance is large and large classes are graduated, and the spirit among the school forces is good and excellent constructive work is going on. Our teaching staff is of high quality, six of the high school faculty possessing college degrees.

The matter of teachers' wages seems to be the bone of contention

with some of those opposed to Dr. Keyport, especially the salary paid the superintendent. The present salary paid is \$3,100 per year, which is below the average salary paid superintendents in schools of the size of Grayling school, where we have 22 teachers, and we fail to see how we can better our condition by making a change. It would probably be as large salary as is now paid and possibly larger, and then there would be the disruption of reorganization of the management. And also the conscientious teachers seemed to get along well under the present superintendency. The school seems to be handled with high efficiency. Of course it costs money, and no matter whom may be our trustees there will always be a large expense to maintain a successful school.

The meeting was called to order at 8:15 p. m. by Dr. C. R. Keyport. The call of the annual meeting was read by the secretary.

The minutes of the last annual meeting were read and on motion by F. R. Welsh supported by Geo. L. Alexander, were approved.

The financial report of the Secretary was then read showing a balance on hand July 1st, 1925, in the several funds as follows:

Primary fund, \$3795.96.

General fund, \$2109.55.

Library fund, \$2314.71.

Total in all funds, \$8220.22.

Moved by Walter Nadeau, supported by F. R. Welsh that report be accepted. Motion carried.

Estimates of amounts necessary to be raised for school purposes for the ensuing year were as follows:

For teachers' wages, \$15,000.00.

For bond and interest, \$6,000.00.

For fuel, \$3,000.00.

For incidental expenses, \$10,500.00.

For salary of officers, \$500.00.

Total, \$35,000.00.

Moved by Mrs. L. J. Kraus, supported by Mrs. Rose Balhoff, that the estimates as read be accepted and adopted. Motion carried.

Election of officers was then taken up. Dr. Keyport, whose term expired, called the secretary to the chair for the purpose of conducting the election.

On motion the chair appointed five tellers, as follows: Fred R. Welsh, O. P. Schumann, Robert H. Gillett, T. W. Hanson and T. P. Peterson. The tellers were sworn in by Geo. L. Alexander.

The whole number of votes cast was 227. Dr. C. R. Keyport having received a majority of all votes cast was declared elected for the full term of three years.

After the election of officers a short discussion of school affairs took place. Secretary Bates made an explanation relative to the bonded debt, whereby it was shown that it would be but a short time before all indebtedness will be wiped out, there being but \$19,000.00 still due extending over a period of five years, to be paid as follows:

May 1st, 1926, bonds Nos. 29, 30, 31, and 32, \$4000.00; interest \$950.00.

May 1st, 1927, bonds Nos. 33, 34, 35 and 36, \$4,000.00; interest \$750.00.

May 1st, 1928, bonds Nos. 37, 38, 39 and 40, \$4,000.00; interest \$550.00.

May 1st, 1929, bonds Nos. 41, 42, 43 and 44, \$4,000.00; interest \$350.00.

May 1st, 1930, bonds Nos. 45, 46 and 47, \$3,000.00; interest \$150.00.

The secretary further presented the names, salaries paid and the qual-

ifications of the entire force of teachers for the ensuing school year, which are as follows:

B. E. Smith, \$3,100, Supt., degree, A. B., A. M.

J. A. Burnham, \$1,800; athletics; life, plus.

Miss Harris, \$1,650; principal, life plus.

Miss Ruth Leonard, \$1,350; domestic art; degree A. B.

Miss Alice Harrison, \$1,400; Latin and French; degree A. B.

Miss Silvia Rothenburger, \$1,325; commercial; life.

Miss Winifred Harrod, \$1,300; mathematics; degree A. B.

Miss Ruth Cavanaugh, \$1,200; physical Ed.; life.

Miss Beatrice Cottle, \$1,300; English and science; degree A. B.

Miss Dorothy Flanigan, \$1,300; English; degree A. B.

Miss Marion Salling, \$1,200; music; life.

Miss Winifred McLain, \$1,100; 4th grade; life.

Miss Martha Weir, \$1,050; 6th grade; limited.

Miss Rydt, \$1,125; 5th grade; life.

Miss Thayer, \$1,100; 6th grade; life; plus.

Miss Richardson, \$1,100; 2nd grade; limited.

Miss Foutch, \$1,075; 4th grade; life.

Miss Gregory, \$1,200; Kindergarten; life.

Miss Bates, \$1,200; 1st grade; life.

Miss Douglas, \$1,050; South Side; life.

Miss Gothro, \$1,050; South Side; 2nd grade.

Mrs. Burnham, \$1,100; 3rd grade; life.

The standard of qualification is shown to be considerably higher than ever before as nearly every member of the High School faculty possesses not only a life certificate but also a degree, signifying a full college course of training of four years. Announcement was further made that the secretary had recently had notice that the Grayling High school had been again placed on the accredited list of the University of Michigan for another term of two years. There being no further business, on motion, the annual school meeting adjourned.

FORD BUILDING COMMERCIAL CAR BODIES

Everyone is familiar with Ford in the passenger car fields, where he has brot low cost transportation without parallel anywhere. The gradual introduction of Ford-built commercial cars indicates that users in this particular field are to benefit now to a greater extent than ever before.

For years the Ford-truck chassis has been truck units and at present approximately 75 per cent of the commercial trucks in use in the United States are Fords. Until little more than a year ago, however, purchasers of the Ford truck chassis had to secure bodies from outside manufacturers.

The first appearance of Ford in the commercial car body field came with the introduction of an all-steel express type body with open cab, also of steel construction. The cab and body were built with a view of giving to the user the greatest possible value in construction, and materials and at the same time a unit that was light and durable, designed to meet a variety of requirements.

With this body on the market it wasn't long until the Ford Motor Co. provided screen sides and canopy top, thereby extending the truck's utility to delivery and hauling services requiring protection of merchandise from the elements and from theft, providing at the same time ample loading space.

While these body combinations met a large share of the requirements in the commercial and agricultural fields there still remained a certain division that demanded stake and platform trucks.

In order to satisfy this demand the company recently introduced a new stake body, which not only meets many hauling needs, but has a particular value to the farmer, for the body is easily adaptable to the use of cattle and grain sides, giving the man on the farm a transportation unit to meet practically all of his hauling requirements.

A closed cab of steel also has been introduced. It is adaptable to any of the body types and because of the complete protection it affords against the elements has grown rapidly in popularity. A feature of this cab is that two panels in the back may be removed to afford access to the truck body.

Ford also is providing a light pick-up body for the Model T chassis, designed to take care of light delivery work. This body is also all steel and mounted on the Ford runabout which gives the driver a comfortable seat with ample room for another passenger.

With all these combinations it is estimated that the Ford Company not only produces bodies for close to 90 per cent of the commercial car requirements, but thru the economies of quantity production is able to provide these bodies to customers at a low price. Because of this, the business man or firm seeking commercial truck equipment is now able to select any body combination of Ford built to meet his particular requirements without the trouble of shopping around.

NOTICE

I am still coming to Grayling to attend my pupil's piano lessons, and expect to still be here for several years, notwithstanding some are trying to create an impression to the contrary. C. M. FULLER.

WE ARE COMING IN PERSON WITH OUR BIG FUN SHOW MUTT & JEFF IN A BIG TENT THEATRE FRIDAY, JULY 17TH LOCATION Next to Blacksmith Shop

NEWS DISPATCHES FROM EVERYWHERE

Coolidge Working on Scheme to Revise the Taxes Downward

Swampscott, Mass.—President Coolidge favors a general downward revision of taxes reaching all classes, it was said officially here at the summer White House.

Dependent upon treasury department figures on governmental surplus Coolidge believes that the coming session of congress should undertake another general tax reduction.

In the upper classes it was indicated that the President would look with favor upon a reduction of the surtax as low as 12 per cent. His chief desire in this field is that the surtax be reduced to a minimum that will insure real revenue. He is willing to accept the figures of tax experts on this subject and he understands their estimate runs from a minimum of 12 per cent to a maximum of 25 per cent.

Fund Donated for Peace

New York—A gift of approximately \$250,000, to be used in finding a way to "take the profit out of war," by Bernard M. Baruch, of New York, to the Walter Hies Page-school of international relations, was announced by Owen D. Young, chairman of the board of trustees of the school. The proposed research carries the endorsement of General Pershing and is to be directed not only to the elimination of profiteering in wartime, but as a measure of national defense, but as one to remove a cause of war.

Want Treaties Cancelled

Shanghai—A nationwide campaign urging immediate cancellation of all foreign treaties is apparently gaining force. Scores of Chinese organizations in Shanghai have sent messages to Tuan Chi Jui, chief executive in Peking, advising against any negotiations with the foreign powers on the revision of the present treaties and asking the president to issue a mandate abrogating all treaties. Negotiations would then be started for new treaties on a basis of complete equality, according to this plan.

Claim Standard Oil Price

New Orleans—The Louisiana Petroleum Marketers association has sent Attorney General Saint a letter stating it was gathering data to substantiate its contention that the Standard Oil Co. of Louisiana has "flagrantly violated the state law by initiating a drop in gasoline prices." Members of the association, which comprises "independent" jobbers, declared gasoline is being sold below cost in New Orleans and blamed the situation on the Standard Oil company of Louisiana.

Poles and Russians Clash

Warsaw, Poland—Hostilities between Russian and Polish troops have broken out along the border, according to the Polish foreign office. Russian soldiers crossed into Polish territory and attacked Polish forces. The Polish troops returned the fire, driving the Russians back into their own territory, according to accounts reaching here. Numerous other attacks are reported, and Polish authorities declare they are rounding up Russians over a considerable area along the border.

French Free Hostages

Fez, French Morocco—Several hundred native women and children, being held as hostages by Abd-el-Krim's Riffians, were released by the French when the latter, by a quick drive along the Ouergha river, captured several villages from the enemy. The women and children were being held by the Riffians in an attempt to compel the men of their tribe to join Abd-el-Krim's forces fighting the French.

Russia Defies Britain

Berlin—Moscow's answer to Britain's demand that Communist propaganda cease in Asia is an unqualified no. Heartened by success in China, Russia proposes to use the Communist Internationale, not for world revolution, but for red imperialism. Consequently, Foreign Minister Tchitcherin is adopting brusque tones in official communiques discussing his attitude towards Britain.

Film Star Pays Fine

New York—Pola Negri, Polish film star, has paid Uncle Sam \$10,000 for her carelessness in neglecting to notify the custom authorities on her recent return from abroad that she was bringing into this country two diamond and emerald bracelets valued at \$27,000 and a thirty carat diamond ring worth \$20,000.

Count to Head Delegation

Rome—Count Volpi, who recently resigned the governorship of Tripoli, will be chairman of the delegation which the government proposes to send to Washington to negotiate a settlement of the debts which Italy owes the United States, according to reports.

Paderewski Knighted

London—King George recently gave an audience to Jan Paderewski, noted Polish pianist, and knighted him.

Circuit Court

Judge Smith cleaned up the July term of Circuit court in a hurry Tuesday and in about 3 hours after court opened could have closed with all cases disposed of. As a matter of accommodation testimony was taken in a belated divorce case the following morning.

The following is a report of the official proceedings:

Criminal Cases.

Conrad Sorenson, violation of the prohibition law; case continued to the next term.

Frank Pettis, enticing away a female under the age of 16. Plea of guilty entered. Placed on three year probation and must pay the injured person \$30 per month during that time.

Jacob Riley, violation of prohibition law. Plea guilty and was sentenced to pay a fine of \$500 and \$75 costs, and in default of payment of such fine and costs, be and remain imprisoned in Ionia prison for a term of from six months to one year. Being unable to pay the fine, commitment was made.

Morris Sutliff, arrested last Sunday by Sheriff Bobenmoyer, was charged with violation of the prohibition law. A raid on his premises by the sheriff and a number of his deputies revealed a quantity of "home brew." Sutliff was already under probation for a similar offense which made the present one still more serious. He was sentenced to Ionia prison for a period of six months.

The case of Hattie B. Moshier vs. Stella Archambeau, trespass on the case, continued to next term.

Charles W. Heinzel vs. Litchfield Construction Co., trespass on the case, judgment was rendered in favor of the plaintiff for the sum of \$2,681.21.

Nemesius Nielsen, vs. American Insurance Co., assumpsit; continued to next term.

Allyn H. Kidston vs. Lelia Kidston, divorce; decree granted.

Warrah Hiar, vs. Edgbert Hiar, divorce; decree granted.

Citizenship was granted in the cases of Sam Johnson, George Repac and Simon Peter Sivrais. The petition of Niklas Vesanen for citizenship was dismissed.

Judge Guy E. Smith, as usual, occupied the bench, with S. M. Atkins as stenographer.

JOHANNES JORGENSEN FOUND DEAD IN BASEMENT

Johannes Jorgensen was found dead in the basement of his father's home, Peter F. Jorgensen, in this city Sunday afternoon at about 1:30 o'clock. He had been about the house and first missed by his mother who searched the house for him but was unable to find him. The father was then called and going to the basement found his dead body.

"Jack" as he was called by his friends, was a young man apparently full of life, but for some time he had been overworking and taking his duties too conscientiously until he became physically weakened.

Johannes Frederick Jorgensen was born in Grayling, October 11th, 1891. He is survived by his wife and two small sons—Stephan, age six, and Johannes John, two weeks old; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter F. Jorgensen, one sister, Mrs. Ernest Duval of Monroe and two brothers Leo and Einar.

He was united in marriage in December, 1916 to Miss Helen Stephan, row.

DEDICATING NEW LANDING FIELD

Cheboygan is to dedicate its new municipal aviation landing field with a two-day celebration, Saturday and Sunday, July 18 and 19. Fifty aeroplanes are scheduled to take part in the ceremonies. These were secured through the courtesy of the Detroit Flying club and other state aviation clubs.

They promise two big days of hair-raising stunts and trick flying with the big new bomber and pursuit planes. Eddie Rickenbacker, "Ace of American aces," will be among the flyers. On Sunday afternoon there will be a ball game between Harbor Springs and the Cheboygan Champions. The aviation demonstrations are free.

BARBERRY ERADICATION

J. L. Kidman, F. W. Ross, E. C. Van Buren, A. L. Edmonds, M. F. Rummel, C. M. Smith, of the barbery eradication forces from M. S. C., East Lansing, Mich., are working for the U. S. Department of Agriculture, in conjunction with the State Department, in an effort to eradicate the common barbery bush. This force is one of several located in the surrounding counties searching each farm for the bush that is responsible for the spread of black stem rust of oats, rye, wheat and other grains and grasses.

The common barbery is an ornamental shrub that completes the life cycle of the stem rust. The rust gets its start from the barbery in the spring, going from the leaves to the small grains where it spreads rapidly, a new crop of rust developing every ten or twelve days. In the fall the rust turns black and winters over on the stubble in this stage. In the spring the rust goes to young barbery leaves and from them back to the grasses and grains, thus completing the cycle.

The barbery bush is essential for the growth of the rust, and these bushes can be removed; the black stem rust can be combated. Thirteen of the northern grain growing states are carrying on similar work in an effort to save the large loss caused by this rust.

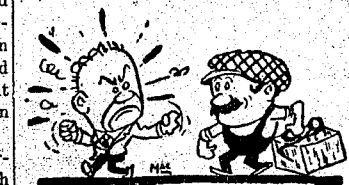
The common barbery is not to be confused with the dwarf Japanese barbery which is harmless. If you have any of the common barbery bushes, these men from the state college will inform you and advise you as to how to dispose of it. They ask your cooperation in helping to remove this menace to the grains and grasses of the country.

daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Stephan. For some time he was employed in the repair department of the Michigan Central Railroad yards, and for the past two or three years has been caretaker of the Richardson club on the AuSable river.

The funeral was held this Thursday afternoon at the home of the young man's parents; interment was in Elmwood cemetery. The service was in charge of Rev. Baughn of the Michaelson Memorial church.

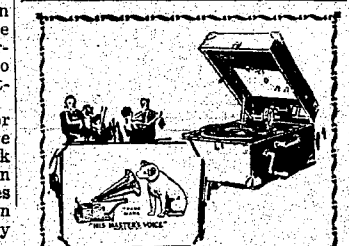
Those present from out of the city at the funeral are Einar Jorgensen and Walter Hanson of Detroit. The family have the sincere sympathy of the community in their sorrow.

NOTICE
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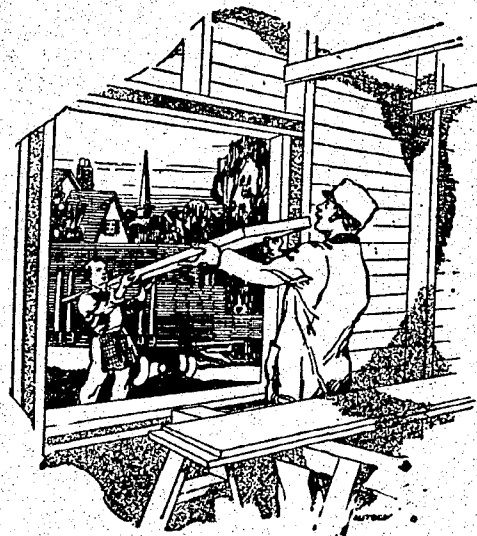


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The bridge is 15 feet in width and 60 in length. Its walls are 8 inches thick and 42 inches in height.

Macedonian Oil Boycott

Although the population of Macedonia and Thrace has recently been increased the raising of the price of kerosene is believed to have caused a buyers' strike that will reduce the use of the oil so that total consumption will be lower than in former times.

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Prove Safety in Flight

Persons who still are fearful of traveling in airplanes might well examine recently issued statistics of the army air service, says Popular Science Monthly. Between the fall of 1922 and the spring of this year army fliers have covered almost 700,000 miles over the model always system without a single death. About 700 passengers have been carried, and 60,000 pounds of express matter. There have been 15 crashes in this period, but only one man has been injured.

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MY FAVORITE STORIES

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Nothing Doing in the Fish Line

Some people insist that measuring, class by class, the lowest order of human intelligence in America is found among Key West sponge fishermen. Others hold that the group placed at the foot of the column properly belongs to a certain order of theatrical producers. As proof of the value of their contention they point to the story of the theatrical manager, who, on being told that a play brought him by a certain dramatist was based upon one of Charles Dickens' novels, said:

"Well, you get hold of this fellow Dickens and bring him around to lunch tomorrow and we'll get his ideas and fix up a contract."

In the same connection there frequently is cited a remark by Wilton Lackaye who once expressed a desire, which he said he feared would never be gratified, to play the part of Jean Valjean in a stage adaptation of Hugo's Les Misérables. A friend spoke up:

"Isn't there a manager in town who can produce it?"

"There isn't a manager in town who can even pronounce it," said Lackaye.

Without any desire to take part in the controversy over the respective merits of the theatrical managers and the Key West sponge-fishers, I herewith submit, for what it may be worth, an incident which happened a few months ago in the office of a prominent producing manager, whose name is a household word in every actor's home. To him there came an experienced playwright bearing the script of a new piece which he had just finished.

"I don't want you should read it to me, now," said the manager. "Just tell me what it's like."

"Well," said the playwright, "it's a historical drama in five acts. I call it 'The Dauphin'."

"For why do you call it that?"

"Because it's based on the story of the Lost Dauphin."

"I don't want it," said the manager emphatically. "It wouldn't go. The public wouldn't ever stand for a play about a fish."

The Leaning Tower of Baltimore

In Baltimore, years ago, there was a shot tower that stood up in the air to a considerable height. Almost at the base of the shot tower a serious-minded German ran a saloon.

Engel Havez, afterwards a New York theatrical man and now in the moving picture business in California lived in Baltimore when the shot tower stood there. One day Havez and a friend of his found themselves in the vicinity of the shotworks. Both were thirsty and both, as it happened, without funds. Havez had an idea.

He outlined it to his companion and then they entered the saloon in a violent argument with each other. "I'll bet you anything I'm right," Havez declared.

"You're wrong," stated his friend stubbornly, "you're just naturally bound to be wrong."

They lined up at the bar still debating. The German waiting patiently to serve them became interested.

"I'll show you how game I am," said Havez. "I'll bet you the drinks I'm right and leave it to our friend here to decide it."

"That's a go," said the other man. "Set out the drinks," commanded Havez.

The German served them and they drank.

"Now, boys," inquired the saloon man, "what is it bet?"

"It's like this," said Havez edging toward the door, "my friend here bets that when the shot tower falls down it will fall to the north. I say it will fall to the south."

Providing a Clean Bill of Health

On a voyage back from France after hostilities had ended, one of the transports had aboard a negro labor battalion. Included among the returning veterans of the Brest docks was a crack shooter of mighty powers, originally from Memphis.

Off the banks the ship ran into misty weather, and the gunner, frightened by the sea, lay in his bunk too miserable and too weak to move, and expecting each succeeding moment to be his last as the craft stood first on end and then wallowed deep in the trough of the sea. As a matter of fact, the peril was real. The laboring steamer had blundered off her course and was dangerously near the shores of Newfoundland. Suddenly in the middle of the night a strident steam whistle at a lighthouse station on the mainland blared out, the sound rising above the roar of the wind. To the sufferer in bed down below, that appalling blast could mean but one thing—the trumpet call of judgment day.

He got down on his knees and prepared to uplift his voice in prayer for salvation. Then he remembered what he carried in his trousers pockets. He reached in his pocket and as he flung into space his educated ivory he cried out:

"Get away, evidences! Come on, Angel Gabriel!"

Commentary

An elm tree will live 600 years; it is said to be in its prime at 150 years old.

Wild boars still exist in France to such an extent that thousands of the animals are killed every year.

Among the women engaged in administrative work in England and Wales are one lord mayor, five mayors and nearly one hundred magistrates.

English willow, because of its lightness and adaptability, is largely used in making artificial limbs.

Judge Landis Watching Close Game



Kenesaw Mountain Landis, commissioner of baseball, is a great lover of the game, and not many plays escape his keen eyesight.

Yankee Rookie Stars



Wanninger, who relieved Scott from the shortstop duties on the New York Yankees. Wanninger is starring.

Joe Wright Planning to Follow Father's Footsteps

Joe Wright, Jr., plans to follow in the footsteps of his father, Pennsylvania's famous rowing coach, many of whose greatest triumphs are recorded in the annals of the Argonaut Rowing club of Toronto.

The veteran vanguard will supervise the development of his son, with the ultimate object of lifting the Diamond Sculls in the Royal English Henley regatta, a feat which the elder Wright vainly tried to accomplish in 1893. Wright managed to win a heat, but was defeated in the finals. He did, however, lift the Bedford cup, one of the English sculling classics.

Joe Wright, Jr., is nineteen years old, six feet three inches in height, and weighs 185 pounds.

NOTES OF THE DIAMOND

Rochester has signed Asa Small, Bowdoin college outfielder.

Jack Dunn has taken on Pitcher Bob Vines, a veteran of the minors.

Catcher Womack, released by Portsmouth, was immediately taken on by Rocky Mount.

Pitcher Abe Applegate has been returned to Portsmouth by Buffalo of the International league.

It has been great weather for hot-weather pitchers, in case a team has any of that kind of pitchers.

Lefty Shields, turned back to Richmond by the New York Yankees, is one of the sensations of the league.

The Tulsa club of the Western league, has purchased Pitcher Fred Hutton from Des Moines of the same league.

Jimmy Viox, veteran of many years' diamond toil has resigned as manager of the Rocky Mount team of the Virginia league.

William Deltrick, for four seasons varsity shortstop on the University of Virginia team, has signed a contract with the Washington American league club.

Scouts are beginning to nose around the Sally league. Nap Rucker, who is seeking ivory for Brooklyn, has already dropped in at Columbia and Augusta.

Walter Johnson, star pitcher of Washington world champions, is thirty-seven years old and believes his arm is strong enough for five more seasons' play.

"That fellow Hughie Critz is quite a fielder around second base," remarked Dazzy Vance. "I believe he can cover just as much ground as Frankie Frisch. He certainly has helped to keep our hits down."

Dewey McKnelly of Okean, Ark., star pitcher of Washington college, has reported to the Pittsburgh Pirates for a tryout. He was regarded as the ace of pitchers around the Missouri colleges.

Didn't Want Pitcher to See Bat Plainly

A young man from Hartford took his girl to see one of the games at the Polo grounds between the Reds and the Glants. While at but one of the players rubbed his hands in the dirt and then ran his dirty hands down the length of the bat several times. Fans know this is a regular habit of many players and think nothing of it.

"Why is he rubbing dirt on the bat?" she inquired innocently. "Is it so the pitcher can't see it so, plainly when he tries to hit it?"

Illinois Elects Kinsey



D. C. Kinsey '26, one of the world's greatest hurdlers, has been elected captain of the University of Illinois track team for 1926. Kinsey, who, as a sophomore last year, won the 110-meter high hurdle race in the Olympic games, holds the Illinois record for the 120-yard high hurdles at 15 seconds. He also holds the Illinois record in the 220-yard low hurdles in 24 3-5 seconds.

Borchert Tried to Split Boxing Purse

Otto Borchert, owner of the Milwaukee baseball club, is also a boxing promoter.

Recently he engaged two boxers for the main event, contracting to pay one of them \$10,000 for 12 rounds of boxing. As things turned out this leather pusher took a knockout punch of the jaw in the sixth round. When it came time to settle up after the fight the boxer was surprised to receive but \$5,000 for his efforts.

"You promised me \$10,000, and I've got it in writing," said the fighter.

"Yes, but you said you'd box 12 rounds and here you have only six—so you get only half of it."

Of course, that argument didn't hold, but it was a good one for Otto.

Miller Best Marksman



Hurrod G. Miller of Kahoka, Mo., who attained the highest marks in marksmanship ever attained at the United States Military academy. In recent tests he hit 334 out of 350 bullets, which is a mark for future cadets to shoot at.

UMPING IRONED JOB IN OLDEN DAYS

Arbiters Received Utmost
Courtesy From Players—
Also Were Cheered.

There have been many radical departs in baseball from the customs of other days. One is treatment of umpires.

In the early part of baseball—from 1850 and 1860—an umpire was highly honored. After each game the players would give three cheers for each other and then, as a grand finale, they would holler forth with three more—and sometimes nine—for the umpire.

In cost cases, at least up to 1865, the umpire was one of the distinguished men of the city. The clubs vied with each other in trying to secure the most prominent personages.

They were often given easy chairs, placed near the home plate, provided with fans on hot days, and their absolute comfort was uppermost in the minds of the players.

After each game in the early '60's sandwiches, beer, cakes and other refreshments were served by the home team.

The umpire always received the choicest bits of food and the largest glass of beer—in case he cared for such beverage. If he didn't he needed but express his desires in the thirteenth century before the game started—and he got it.

Sport Notes

Charles F. Drew of Washington, D. C., was elected captain of the American college track team.

The days of the war will be recalled to Mr. Dempsey while he is abroad if he happens to get near any shipyards.

The current understanding is that if someone took a healthy swing at it, Mr. Dempsey would have a cauliflower nose.

Cornell established the Poughkeepsie four-mile record for rowing in 1901, when Courtney's varsity won in 13:53 1-5.

In 1878 a unique swimming feat was performed by the English expert, N. T. Collinge, who swam a half mile every hour for 48 consecutive hours.

If the flying tackle is to be revived in football, fears are expressed that the gridiron will become as rough as the ballroom.

One theory is that Europe began calling her wilder politicians the Left after seeing an American southpaw on the mound.

Micky Collins of Australia, welter-weight boxer who is hailed as a second Les Darcy, is being groomed in his native land for the championship.

London has 318 playing fields for use of youthful soccer players in various public parks. Clubs must make application for playing space early each year. Last year 859 applied.

England believes that cricket for women has come to stay. The game is played keenly and seriously at girls' schools throughout the country. There are also many women's cricket clubs.

Northwestern university appears to have a coming star in Johnny Cameron, freshman sprinter. The other day he stepped the century in 9 7-10.

MARKETS

Butter and Eggs.

Butter markets fairly firm. Prices 92 score butter No. 1 creamery in tubs, 39¢@42¢ per lb. Eggs, fresh receipts, 31¢@33 1-2 per doz.

Feed

Feed markets irregular. Winter wheat bran, 32¢; spring wheat bran, 31¢; standard middlings, 33¢; fine middlings, 33¢; cracked corn, 44¢; coarse cornmeal, 43¢; chop, 38¢ per ton in car lots.

Fruits and Vegetables

Potato market stronger. U. S. No. 1 Michigan, in car lots, \$2.50@2.60 per 100-lb. sack. Cabbage, new, 22¢@2.50 per bu.

Hay and Stray

Hay and straw markets practically steady. Hay No. 1 timothy, \$22.50@23; standard, \$22@22.50; No. 1 light clover mixed, \$22@22.50; No. 2 timothy, \$20@21; No. 1 clover mixed, \$18@19; No. 1 clover, \$15@16; wheat and oat straw, \$10.50@11; rye straw, \$11@11.50 per ton in car lots.

Grain

Grain market firm after decline. Quoted Detroit: Wheat, cash No. 1 red, \$1.71; No. 2 red, No. 2 white and No. 2 mixed \$1.70. Yellow Corn, cash No. 2, \$1.15; No. 3, \$1.14. White Oats, cash No. 2, 55¢; No. 3, 55 1-2¢. Rye, cash No. 2, \$1.04. Beans, Michigan choice hand picked prompt shipment, \$5.10 per cwt. Barley, malting, 90¢; feeding, 85¢. Buckwheat, milling, \$2@2.05 per cwt. Seeds, prime red clover, \$16.35; October, \$14.85; August alsike, \$13.75; timothy, \$3.70.

Livestock and Meats

Chicago and Detroit hog prices lower at \$13.95 for the top and \$13.10@13.85 for the bulk. Medium and good beef steers lower at \$8.25@12.50; butcher cows and heifers steady at \$6@8.25, and light and medium weight veal calves higher at \$11@13. Fat lambs, lower at \$13.25@15.50. Live Poultry, Detroit broilers, 35¢@36¢; leg-horn broilers, 25¢; best hens, 5 lbs. up, 28¢; old roosters, 15¢@16; geese, 15¢; ducks, large white, 25¢; best turkeys, 25¢ per lb.

Items Of Interest in World's News

Mexico Signs Post Pact

Washington—A postal convention providing for the exchange of collection-delivery parcels between the United States and Mexico, effective August 1st, has been signed by Mexico and is awaiting the signature of President Coolidge.

Reads Naval War College

Washington—Rear Admiral R. Pratt who is in command of the fourth battleship division has been selected to command the naval war college, at Newport, R. I. Orders assigning him to that post are expected to be issued upon the return of Secretary Wilbur to Washington next month.

Alien Law is Benefit

New York—The first year of the new immigration law, providing for selection overseas, resulted in far less congestion at Ellis Island, more humane conditions, more intelligent examinations, less discomfort and fewer deportations, according to Henry H. Curran, immigration commissioner at the island.

Baroness Killed By Fall

New York—Baroness Helen Ruth Muehlen, of Java, Dutch East Indies, was killed by a fall from a window on the seventh floor of the Ritz-Carlton Hotel. The Baroness, who was about 28 years old, was Helen Carruthers, of New York, before her marriage. The Baron is at present in Java, where he expected to be joined by his wife.

Fox Buys Coast Theatres

Los Angeles—Sales of the interest of Adolph Ramish, Jr. in the West Coast Theatres, Inc., comprising 120 playhouses throughout California, to the William Fox Corporation, was announced here by representatives of M. Gore, president of the organization. No figure was stated. The estimated value of the theatres involved is approximately \$18,000,000.

Gas Price Up in S. D.

Mitchell, S. D.—Gasoline went up another cent to a new high mark of 25 cents, the top price since former Gov. W. H. McMaster, started his gasoline war in August, 1923. Yesterday's increase makes a total jump of five cents since the state filling station here was closed. At that time gasoline was selling for 20 cents a gallon.

Air Committee Formed

Washington—Developments of air transportation took another step forward with the appointment of a public relations committee, headed by Will H. Hays, former postmaster general. This announcement was made by Howard E. Coffin, president of the National Air Transport, Inc., the new \$10,000,000 commercial air line to be inaugurated this fall between New York and Chicago, with an overnight package freight service between those points.

Federal Prisons Crowded

Washington—Unless further orders are received from state officials to assist the Government in housing the approximately 8,000 Federal prisoners, Government prison authorities expect little early relief of the over-crowded conditions in the Atlanta and Fort Leavenworth institutions. Thus far only three states have agreed to absorb some of the overflow. Meantime, plans are going forward for a reformatory for women Federal prisoners at Alderson, W. Va.



Lights in Coal Mines

Investigators for the bureau of mines report that electric lamps for miners are fast replacing the safety flame lights, over 200,000 of the former now being in use in the United States alone. Since 1911, when 45,000 flame lights were in use in the soft coal mines of Pennsylvania, the number has decreased to a few thousand, while the use of electric lamps has increased in inverse ratio. In early mining days tallow candles and crude open-flame lamps were used, resulting in frequent explosions and much loss of life. The flame light, however, is still considered useful, for it indicates if there is a deficiency of oxygen in the air, thus warning miners of the approach of the deadly mine gas.

Natives of New Guinea use nets spun by large spiders to catch fish weighing as much as one pound—Science Service.

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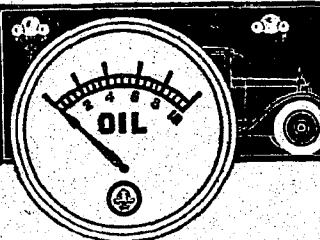
He, Too, Lacked Vision

Secretary A. D. Cull, of the American Peace society, said at a banquet in Washington:

"The men who sneer at the World Court and the League of Nations seem to me as foolish as Holo John."

"Another hobo pointed to a large, handsome building on a hill and said: 'That there's the blind asylum home, John.'"

"Blind asylum home, hey? And Holo John gave a sneering laugh. 'Humph! What's all them winders fur, then?'—Rehoboth Sunday Herald.



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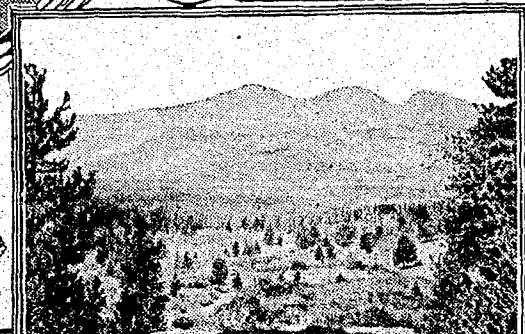
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By JOHN DICKINSON SHERMAN

COUNCIL GROVE, KAN., will celebrate its centennial August 10. It was there, one hundred years ago, that the United States government took official recognition of the Santa Fe Trail by making a treaty with the Pawnee and Osage Indians for the unobstructed passage of the caravans traveling between Missouri and New Mexico. So, in a sense, it is the centennial of the Santa Fe Trail.

This summer the Boone family of the United States gathered in Kentucky in celebration of the one-hundred-and-fiftieth anniversary of the settlement of that state by Daniel Boone. It is an interesting coincidence that the Santa Fe Trail celebration should call public attention to Daniel Boone's grandson—and rival in public estimation as woodsman, hunter, scout and Indian-fighter—Christopher Carson. For the Santa Fe Trail without Kit Carson is like "Hamlet" without Hamlet.

This centennial of the Santa Fe Trail really opens up the whole story of the winning of the West. For the Santa Fe Trail led to the acquisition of Texas, the Mexican War, the occupation of California, the Overland Mail, the Pony Express and the meeting of the Union Pacific and Central Pacific at Ogden.

And for forty years Kit Carson had a hand in it all. First he was identified with Bent's Fort on the Arkansas in Colorado, the famous trading post of the famous Bent Brothers. In its time the most famous of all the trading posts west of the Mississippi. Successively he won fame as an explorer, as guide for Fremont and his right-hand man in the California expedition; as scout and dispatch bearer; as Indian agent and as United States Army officer. Possibly no frontiersman had more to do with settling the West. Certainly no man had more influence for peace with the Indians. Here is a brief chronology that hints at his many activities:

1809—Born in Madison county, Kentucky; 1811, taken to Howard county, Missouri; 1824, apprenticed to saddler in Franklin.
1826—Ran away to join Santa Fe caravan; 1828, settled in Taos, N. M.
1829—Trapping trip to San Francisco bay; 1830-32, trapping in Rockies and Northwest.
1832-40—Hunter for Bent's fort, Colorado.
1842-44—Guide for Fremont; 1845, with Fremont in California.
1846-48—Three round trips, California to Washington, with dispatches.
1850—Drove 5,500 sheep, New Mexico to California.
1851—Indian agent for New Mexico.
1852-54—Fought Confederates and Navajos; colonel First Regiment New Mexico Volunteers; breveted brigadier general.
1858—Visited Washington with deputation of Indians; died at Fort Lyon, Colo.

Table Delicacy

The orotian is a bird of the old land, whose merit, as a table delicacy, lies in its fatness, and its chief peculiarity is that even its bones are edible. To shoot an orotian, even with a shot, were to spoil it for the table. It must be trapped and, if not found fat enough, be given a diet of millet seed until it becomes a good handful. Orotians may not be violently killed; the best way being to

plunge their heads into a glass of fine champagne, and so to drown them. Roasted "in a winding-sheet of vine-leaf wrapt," they form literally a bonne bouche for the epicure, who takes them by the legs and crunches each bird in delicious mouthfuls.

When Women Are Polite
When men are as gentle and polite as women, I like them as well as women. . . . There is a story of an old-time man who resolved not to have women in his house; he said they

had notions that annoyed him, because they were not true and natural. So he employed only men to wait on him. . . . But finally he turned the men out, and had the women back, saying they were politer, in his presence, at least. . . . Women may be impolite with each other, but they are politer than men in the presence of men.—E. W. Howe's Monthly.

British factories produce more than 100,000,000 pairs of boots and shoes a year.

Mammoth Ferry

A mammoth car ferry for use between Anchorage and Baton Rouge, La., was recently launched at Neville Island, Ohio. This boat will be 340 feet in length, will have an extreme deck width of 91½ feet on a molded beam of 56 feet; and will carry at one trip a complete train of wauel engine and 11 pullman cars of 25 loaded freight cars. The cost will be a quarter million dollars, and the ferry will be the largest vessel of its type.

Admonishing Him

"And fuddermo, brudders and sistals," solemnly said good old Parson Buzzer in the course of a recent Sabbath evening's sermon, "keep yo' lamps trimmed and burning. Lean on de Lawd, and—looky you, Brudder Jackson! What yo' trying to do down dar in de fifth pew fum de back?"
"Leanin' on de Lawd, sah," replied Gin Jackson, the gambling man, who had settled down on the snail of his

back with his feet over the pew ahead. "Leanin' on de Lawd, like yo' done told us to."
"De invite to lean on de Lawd don't mean for yo' to go to bed on Him, yo' trillin' lout! Take yo' boots out'n' dai seat and set up straight or I's gwine to ax de rusers to rush yo' out!"—Kansas City Star.

New York's only woman bell ringer is Miss Mary H. Gilles, who sounds the 20-bell set in the belfry of Grace church in lower Broadway.

GOOD MANNERS IN MOTORING

Connecticut Commissioner
Stoeckel Sees Need of
Code of Ethics.

That the present lack of good manners in motoring calls for a code of ethics to be observed by automobile drivers, is the belief of Robbins B. Stoeckel, commissioner of the Connecticut state department of motor vehicles, whose views on this subject are being sent to the country-wide membership of the National Safety council. Mr. Stoeckel's suggestions are intended to impress motorists with the importance of courtesy to fellow drivers and pedestrians alike. His advice should not only help to prevent accidents but should keep some motor operators out of trouble.

Importance of Courtesy.
"To be a good driver, in the terms of applied ethics, is to be a person of good manners, truly an altruist, ready to see and appreciate the problems of others, to make proper allowances for them and to exercise even a little more patience, care and consideration than is actually called for by the letter of the law," declares Commissioner Stoeckel's bulletin.

Pointing out that there are certain actions which are so obviously bad manners that it becomes a source of wonder how any person can bring himself to commit one of them, Mr. Stoeckel cites examples, such as:

Driving an automobile through water or mud so as to splash same upon pedestrians, a common pastime with some motorists who have peculiar ideas of what constitutes a joke.

Falling to give proper warning to a pedestrian or other user of a highway. Even animals should receive reasonable notice.

Neglecting to give proper attention to headlights, thus often causing inconvenience and danger to others.

Disobeying the instructions received from traffic officers and trying to steal a few feet of space, instead of remaining in the proper spot, a practice that not only annoys pedestrians and other motorists but which is dangerous.

Starting an argument with the traffic officer is not only bad etiquette but is courting trouble with the law.

The expert driver must tune down his skill by not swiftly weaving in and out of a moderately moving stream of traffic.

A common offense against road etiquette is committed when a motor car operator places his car at a crossing so as to obstruct pedestrian traffic, thus compelling pedestrians to walk around his machine.

Exercise of Kindness.
In conclusion, Commissioner Stoeckel says:

"The exercise of kindness to others, consideration and true courtesy will prevent any operator from getting a wrong attitude of mind for driving in traffic. Any operator who loses his temper, who becomes sulky, or is abnormal from any one of many different causes is unfit to drive because his automobile provides a medium of expression for his personality. If that personality is upset, he is bound to make trouble for himself or for others, generally for both."

**To Remove Carbon From
Cylinder of Gas Engine**

Auto owners who wish to remove carbon from the gas engine cylinder by means of an oxygen flame may do so without injuring the mechanism if the following precautions are taken:

The radiator must be filled with water in order to keep water around the cylinder walls and valves.

Both valves must be closed and the piston is placed at the top of the cylinder to confine the oxygen in the combustion chamber.

If compressed air is at hand after burning the carbon out, the engine is turned over until the exhaust valve is open, and a jet of air introduced into the cylinder to blow all loose particles of carbon which will prevent it from proper seating, and so impair the compression.

SWINGING BOOMS ON SERVICE CAR HELP

Service Car Equipped With Two Swinging Booms Made of Heavy Pipe Is Found Useful for Lifting Heavy Cars Up Embankments as Well as for Towing Purposes.

By mounting two swinging booms, made of heavy pipe and fittings, on the chassis of a light automobile made over into a service car, an Alabama dealer increased its usefulness considerably. The two booms are fastened together at the rear with two cross members of iron. Recently the car was sent out for a one-ton truck loaded with lumber, which had gone over a 20-foot embankment. The truck was pulled up without unloading it. This was done by swinging the two booms at right angles to the car, anchoring one to a tree on the side of the road opposite the wreck, while the other boom was used in pulling up the truck.—Archibald Richardson, Decatur, Ga., in Popular Mechanics Magazine.

AUTOMOBILE HINTS

A trouble lamp is a valuable aid for accidents at night.

Gypsies travel by automobiles nowadays, but still cling to the old custom of saving on soap.

Motometer Tells Us of Cooling System

Do not be alarmed if the motometer seems to register a higher radiator temperature after you have filled up the cooling system with water. It makes a difference in the reading whether the water or just the water vapor comes in contact with the stem of the thermometer. If actual contact of the water makes enough change in the reading of the motometer to lead you to assume that the motor is running hotter than usual, it is best to drain off a little water. Perhaps when the excess of water is drained off the motometer will still register higher than usual—an indication that the other causes apply.

Awarded Patent by U. S. on Balloon Tire Idea

Alden L. Putnam of Lansing, Mich., recently awarded a patent on the balloon tire by the United States patent office. Application for the patent was filed by Putnam in August.



Alden L. Putnam.

1920. While a member of the motor transport board during the war he built special tires to make riding easier. This was the development of the balloon tire idea.

Economy on the Part of the Car Owner Is Urged

Automobile owners must practice gasoline economy. Never before in the history of the motor vehicle has there been a more urgent need for conservation along this line.

This is the warning being broadcast to the nation's 17,000,000 motorists by Thomas P. Henry, president of the American Automobile association, who sees in economy the chief weapon in the motorist's hand to combat the soaring price of gasoline.

Whether the contention of oil interests that the natural oil supply is fast diminishing is founded on fact, or whether such information is merely a covering statement to justify higher prices, the car owner stands to lose in either case, according to Mr. Henry, unless he makes every gallon of gas give greater results.

"Economy on the part of the car owner," Mr. Henry states, "will solve the problem. If natural supplies are diminishing, economy will serve its obvious purpose. If scarcity is but a trade tactic, then conservation will help hold down the price to the consumer."

Balloon Problem Met

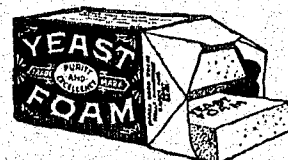
The main trouble experienced by owners who have installed balloon tires on their cars is that there has been entirely too much bobbing action. Many of the excellent spring control devices have been unable to check this successfully, even on some of the new cars which have not been especially designed for balloons. Though you will still need your spring control device, the excess bobbing can be done away with by taking a few leaves out of the springs. You will note on cars especially designed for balloons that there are fewer spring leaves, as a rule.

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Butterflies Go to Iceland
C. B. Williams, chief entomologist of the Egyptian ministry of agriculture, has found that the "painted lady" butterfly has migrated from Africa to Iceland on a number of occasions. The distance is over 4,000 miles and it is usually covered in three to four months. The butterflies show up in Iceland in July, leaving Africa and Asia Minor in April. Only the hardiest among the flyers succeed in making the immigration, however.

Not So Very Odd
"Odd that we should speak of royalties on books," "I don't know. Books have titles, you know."

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LOCAL NEWS

It is always well to remember that the fool who utters to rock the boat is still with us. He's the same guy that tries to cut out around you in a traffic jam.

Edward and Maurine Goslow of Grayling are visiting their grandmother, Mrs. Goslow.

Mr. and Mrs. Axel Nelson and daughter Elaine of Saginaw and some friends are enjoying a two weeks outing at Lake Margrethe.

The funeral of Erkless Wolcott, who passed away Tuesday of last

week was held Friday afternoon with services at the Michelson Memorial church, Rev. Baughn officiating. In respect to the youth the plant of Kerry & Hanson flooring company was closed down for the afternoon. Both the young man and his father, Roy Wolcott were employees of this firm. The funeral was largely attended.

The old-fashioned village belle who used to warn her lover that father was on his way downstairs, now has a daughter who says, "Step on the gas, kid! I can hear the old man's flivver coming."

APPRECIATION

We wish to thank those who tried to save our household furniture and clothing from the fire that destroyed our home recently, also those who have been so kind since.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Defrain, and Family.

WANTS TO KNOW LOCATION OF J. N. TAGGERT

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MRS. B. PETER JOHNSON SUC- CUMBS AFTER LONG ILLNESS.

Mrs. B. Peter Johnson, who has been in ill health for the past four years passed away at her home at six o'clock Friday evening, having been in an unconscious condition most of that day. Her illness was such that was incurable and although she suffered intense pain she was most patient and tried to forget her ills and make others happy.

Anna C. Hanson was born June 6, 1871 in Nysted, Denmark to Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Hanson. The latter who were well known to many in Grayling. In 1880 the family came to America, Mr. Hanson coming some time previous, and settling in Manistee. In 1889, Miss Hanson came to Grayling and the following year was wed to B. Peter Johnson. Mrs. Johnson was the mother of 8 children. One child died at two years old, Carl Fredrick, 9 years old was killed when while playing on a load of logs one rolled over him, and Eldo passed away suddenly a year ago here; Lillian, now Mrs. Earl Merry of Gaylord, Helen, Elmer, Raymond and Wilfred.

The Johnson family resided on a farm in Frederic for several years, moving to Grayling about three years ago, and operated the Manistee hotel until last fall. Mrs. Johnson spent most of her life in Crawford county, and had a large circle of friends in both Grayling and Frederic.

The funeral was held Monday afternoon with services at 2:00 o'clock and was attended by a large congregation of friends of the family. Rev. Baughn delivered an impressive sermon, and the choir composed of Mrs. Andrew Brown, Mrs. Herbert Gothro and Miss Bernice McNeven rendered many beautiful hymns. Interment was in Elmwood cemetery.

Besides her husband, and sons, and daughters, Mrs. Johnson was survived by one sister, Mrs. Charles B. Johnson of this city, and two brothers, Alfred and Fred Hanson of Manistee.

The latter together with Mrs. Charles Merry of Gaylord, Miss Mollie Johnson of Bay City and Clarence Johnson of Toledo, Ohio, came to be in attendance at the funeral. The remaining members of the family have the sympathy of many friends in their bereavement.

OLD RESIDENT PASSED AWAY.

Another pioneer settler of Crawford county answered the last call, when Mrs. Lucinda Sewell, wife of the late Ira Sewell, passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Fred Esemann last Friday. Mrs. Sewell had been ill since last November and unable to leave her home most of that time.

Mrs. Sewell was born in Bottford, Washtenaw county, February 10, 1848, where she grew to womanhood. In March, 1869 she was united in marriage and to the union six children were born, all of whom survive, and are known as Mrs. Esemann of this city, Mrs. E. J. Cross, Johannesburg, Leamon Sewell, Mrs. Charles Standfield, Mrs. Charles McKay and Dick Sewell of Flint, all of whom were in the city together with their families to attend the funeral.

Mrs. Sewell had been a resident of Crawford county for the past 44 years, residing in Beaver Creek township, where they owned a farm, and after the death of her husband making her home among her children.

Services were held at the home Sunday morning at 10:00 o'clock, conducted by Marlin Maxwell, and was attended by many friends of the family. The remains were laid to rest in the Pere Cheney cemetery.

Mrs. Sewell had many friends and she will be missed very much from the family circle.

FREDERIC NEWS

Among those attending the Central Normal school at Mt. Pleasant are Misses Erma Craven and Leah Welsh, Max Tobin and Harry Hart.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Horton of Pontiac and Mr. and Mrs. Gus Schultz of Cleveland spent the week end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Horton.

Mrs. Ed Nichols spent the week end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. James Patterson.

Lola Craven is visiting friends in Flint and Bay City.

Basil Tibbert returned to his home in Escanaba after spending a week with his cousins, Liwyn and Evelyn Dormire. Miss Evelyn accompanied him home.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Troop and son, Dorv of Flint are visiting at the home of Charles Horton.

Mrs. Smock has returned from Ellsworth where she has been visiting her mother.

J. Larva, secretary for the Consumers Power Co., of Bay City visited at the home of James Tobin last Wednesday. He motored from the city to Otsego lake, camping by the way, and was accompanied by his wife. Both say they had an enjoyable time.

J. T. Parson's is the place to dine; His rates are low, his service fine, And it's just the place to spend your time.

He also dry goods and groceries sell, Keeps a butcher shop as well, Known for many miles around As the courteous hustler of the town.

CARD OF THANKS

We are grateful and deeply appreciate the kindnesses of our neighbors during the illness and death of our wife and mother. And we wish to thank Rev. Baughn and the choir for their services. B. Peter Johnson and Family.

CARD OF THANKS

Our sincere thanks is hereby extended to our neighbors and friends for their many acts of kindness, and for the beautiful flowers sent during our late bereavement.

Mr. and Mrs. Leamon Sewell, and family,
Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Cross,
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Standfield and family,
Mr. and Mrs. Dick Sewell,
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Esemann,
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McKay, and family,

Historians tell us that during the Middle Ages women disdained to wear short dresses. Now the ladies of the middle ages not only wear short skirts, but they even roll their socks.

LOVELLS NEWS.

Ray Duby went to Merrill Friday owing to the death of his brother, Lawrence.

The annual census of Lovells, district No. 1 has been taken. Nineteen children were enrolled.

The first dance of the season at Lovells will be given Thursday night.

Representative Mrs. Cora Anderson says no bachelor can make a good governor. We hope, Cora, that's not a threat that you're liable to have gubernatorial aspirations some time.

WORDS OF WISDOM

"Sedentary work," said the college lecturer, "tends to lessen the endurance."

"In other words," butted in the smart student, the more one sits, the less one can stand."

"Exactly," retorted the lecturer, "and if one lies a great deal, one's standing is lost completely."—Christian Guardian.

Her Guess

Wandering through a department store a couple of girls ran across a pile of books. One of them picked up a volume and read the title—"Cricket on the Hearth."

"What is it?" she asked.

"Directions for a new game, I fancy," responded the other girl.

NOT YET FULLY FORMED



Friend—Doubtless you have fully formed convictions concerning the questions of the hour?

Candidate for Office—Why—er—not yet. I really haven't been able to ascertain just how the voters are thinking about them, you see.

Political Retirement

The orator who stands aside. Need feel no consternation. The lecture platform will provide A better compensation.

She's a Wise Maid

The influenza raged. Our maid from the country had it. The doctor came and produced his thermometer. "Let me take your temperature," he said.

"Garn! A little thing like that ain't goin' to cool me!" she said.—Simplicissimus, Munich.

Who Was Shakespeare?

"Yes, Senator Elubud thinks pretty well of himself?"

"What now?"

"At a banquet given to celebrate the birthday of Shakespeare the senator

horned in and responded for Shakespeare."

Taking No Chances

Star Customer—Here's three dollars. Grocer—But you don't owe me anything.

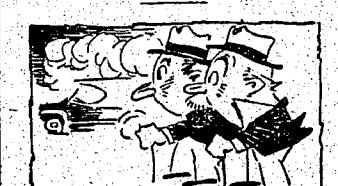
Star Customer—I know it, but when my wife buys a \$2 box of cigars for a present for me, just make it a \$3 box, see!—The Progressive Grocer.

The Ruling Passion

Doctor No. 1—Did you hold the mirror to her face to see if she was still breathing?

Doctor No. 2—Yes, and she opened one eye, gasped, and reached for her powder puff.—Sydney Bulletin.

THE EXPLANATION



Wags—I'm afraid, old man, you didn't think much of the speaking at the banquet last night. The fact is, a noted wit failed us.

Wags—Ah, that accounts for your trying to get along with a couple of half-wits, eh?

Diminishing Attire

The fashion annually brings Surprises still more rare, Till clothes appear to be the things That people used to wear.

Get Busy

Husband—Knowest thou how to bring uppe thy child?

Wife—Certainlly, sluggard.

Husband—Then snappe to. Thy child is at the bottom of ye cistern.

Hard to Find

Clerk—Just what sort of a wave trap do you want?

Mr. Poorly—One that will tune out my wife when the radio is broadcast-ing.

In Washington

"How about this congressman of ours?" asked a rural visitor. "Will the honorable do anything for you?"

"Oh, he'll give you a lot of air. You can get that at any filling station."

He Seizes Anything

"What is an opportunist?"

"One who meets the wolf at the door, and appears the next day in a fur coat."—Gargoyle.

Knew How to Nail—

"Swell lookin' dame."

"Yes; and she's trimmed many a man in this town."

"Confidence woman?"

"Nope, manicurist."—Argonaut.

Hades

First Imp—What did you say hap-pened to the devil?

Second Imp—He knitted one of the burning lakes this morning and used gasoline instead of coal oil.

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CARD OF THANKS

We take this method to express our thanks to all our friends and neighbors who assisted us during the illness and death of our beloved son and brother, Erkless; also to the minister for his consoling words, and the choir for their singing, and also the mill boys and the Kerry & Hanson Co. and for the beautiful flowers.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wolcott and Family.

Dempsey is making \$15,000 a week appearing on the German stage. Quite a bit different from the thirty dollar a month job that Uncle Samuel offered him just a few short years ago.

In the good old days more than six rigs in a row generally meant a funeral procession. Now we think nothing of a traffic jam a couple miles long.

Classified Ads

16 INCH HARDWOOD SLABS, \$1.50 full cord, at du Pont plant. Helper & Clinkfostine.

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FOR SALE—CAMPING OUTFIT, consisting of Tent, 12x18 ft., with 5 ft. side wall; table and four chairs. Mrs. Ed Clark, Phone 5-w.

FOR SALE—DODGE CAR AND Trailer; 20 Ft. River Boat, Horse, Harness and Wagon, all in fine condition. Will sell cheap for cash. 7-16-3 Anton Johnson.

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HOUSE FOR RENT—ON SOUTH Side. Inquire at Avalanche Office.

LIGHT HOUSE KEEPING ROOMS for rent. Furnished, and in desirable location. Phone No. 832.

WANT TO BUY—RAGS, BRASS, copper and other metals. Also old magazines. James Post, Norway St north of Burkes Garage. 6-25-3

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LOST—BLACK AND TAN AIRE-dale. Answers to name of "Shott". Reward offered. Notify Wm. H. Aubrey, Supt. Higgins Lake Forestry, Roscommon Mich., or Marcus Schaaf, 807 West Michigan, Lansing.

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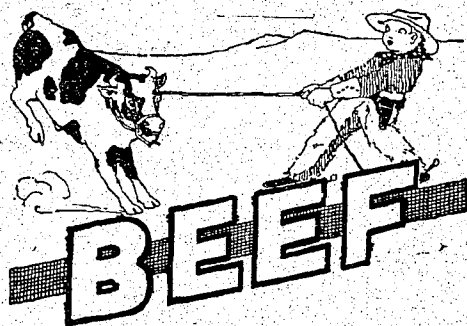
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Locals

James Hanson and daughter Hester were in Roscommon Monday.

Harry Pond of Bay City was in Grayling on business first of the week.

Mrs. Efner Matson left Sunday for Romeo to spend a week with relatives.

Miss Rae Joseph of Detroit is visiting her brother A. J. Joseph and family.

Mrs. N. C. Neilsen and two daughters of Tawas City are visiting her daughter Mrs. Will Heric.

Owen Reid of Twining is visiting at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Reynolds.

Mrs. W. M. Custer and children have returned from a couple of weeks visit in Caro with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Powell, "off the road" are happily ensconced in their cozy cottage at Lake Margrethe.

Mrs. Jeff McKinnon, who has been a patient at Mercy hospital for several days was dismissed Tuesday.

Hardwood slabs, 16 inch, full cord for \$1.50, at du Pont plant. Phone No. 1511. Helper & Clinkofstine.

Bernie Johnson, accompanied by his brother Harry of East Jordan spent the week end visiting friends in Frankfort.

Mrs. Ben Jerome and children Elizabeth, Junior and Arnold, of Pontiac are at the Bates cottage at Lake Margrethe.

Mrs. James Brown of Angara returned home Tuesday after spending a few days visiting her son James Brown and family.

Word from Lansing announced the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Whipple, who recently moved to that city from Grayling.

Mrs. James Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Reynolds and son Richard and John Benore motored to Twining to visit Mr. and Mrs. Guy Reid.

The Woman's Home Missionary society will hold a silver tea at the Michelson Memorial church on Friday afternoon, July 24th -716-2.

Col. LeRoy Pearson and family are at their cottage at Lake Margrethe to remain until after the summer encampment of the National Guard.

Miss Margrethe Nelson is enjoying a vacation from her duties at the Bank. She left Saturday afternoon to visit Miss Louise Hurlin at Alma.

You may buy your ticket now for the fair to be given by St. Mary's Altar society on August 15th. See any one of the ladies of that organization.

Grayling has spent many times the cost of building a concrete pavement in building and repaving Main street and still we have only a common-place highway.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn A. Wilcox have sold their former home on the South Side to Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Epley. The latter were formerly from Gladwin county.

Mr. and Mrs. Loran Sparks motored to Lansing Saturday and returned home with the former's sister, Miss Elsie Sparks of Galesburg, Ill., who is a guest in their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Seeley of Manistowick were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hans Petersen Sunday. Mr. Hans, who accompanied them here visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chris Johnson.

A few friends were guests of Mark Murray at luncheon Monday afternoon and helped to celebrate his birthday. Everyone spent a very pleasant afternoon.

See Marion Davies in the greatest role of this popular star's career, "Zander, the Great" at the Colonial theatre, Roscommon, Monday and Tuesday evenings, July 20th and 21st. Adv.

Miss Ingeborg Hanson of Detroit is visiting her mother Mrs. Hansine Hanson and family for two weeks. Her friend Robert Maynard spent the week end in Grayling, returning to Detroit Sunday.

Prices slashed on all our dresses and coats at the Hat Shop. Racks must be cleared to make room for fall stock. Remember, we make our own alterations. Redson & Cooley.

The last quarterly meeting of this conference year will be held at the F. M. church, Friday, Saturday and Sunday with Elder Sanders presiding. All are cordially invited to attend and help vote for our new pastor.

James Milne, Monday, sold two of his fine cottages at Lake Margrethe, one to Mrs. George N. Olson, and the other to Mrs. Victor Peterson. These are cozy places and no doubt the families will spend many happy summers there.

Our neighboring city of Gaylord has finally woken up to the fact that a system of sewerage for the town was becoming a vital necessity, so a competent engineer has been employed to make the survey and estimate the probable cost, which will be about \$25,000.

Edward Kunze and Miss Winifred Moore of Detroit were guests of the former's uncle O. P. Schumann and family, over Tuesday night. On their return to Detroit they were accompanied by Miss Helen Schumann who will visit relatives there for a short time.

Drum Major Herman Western and Ray W. McKinley of Gaylord were in the city Monday night advertising the fact that the celebrated Royal Scotch Highlanders band of St. Petersburg, Fla., was to be in Grayling Friday of this week and render an afternoon matinee and concert in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Salisbury and children returned home Tuesday from a delightful two weeks vacation at Point Comfort on the east shore of Osego Lake. They enjoyed daily fishing excursions on the lake and were successful in catching a number of very fine pickerel, which the waters seem to be stocked with.

Mrs. Barbara Anthony of Grayling was one of the students whose name was included in the honor roll for high scholarship during the past term at Central Normal school. Students who maintain an average of B or higher for all their regular subjects are given places on the Central Michigan Normal school honor roll.

Mrs. J. K. Hanson is entertaining her sister Mrs. Louis Jensen of Ewen.

George L. Alexander was in Saginaw on business Tuesday.

Mrs. Walter Cowell has returned from a visit in Detroit and other places.

Mrs. Paul Hendrie and her niece Miss Isabelle Macauley are visiting in Chicago.

Mrs. Charles Curtis and children of Detroit are visiting her mother, Mrs. Clara McLeod.

Paul Ford and family of Detroit have been visiting friends in Grayling and Lewiston.

Miss Edith Alstrom of Detroit is visiting at the home of her sister Mrs. Charles Adams.

The Sigwald Hanson and T. P. Peterson families have returned from an outing at Lake George.

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Robert Gassell of Detroit has been spending several days among Grayling and Lewiston friends.

Mr. Arthur Chantler and Miss Lillian Toker of Detroit are guests at the Murray Lodge on the AuSable.

Mrs. George Burke has been enjoying a visit from her daughter, Mrs. Huffmaster and son of Marine City.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus McCauley of Saginaw are visiting at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Cameron.

Special on hats at the Hat Shop, Handmade hats for \$2.50, \$3.50 and \$5.00 must all go to make room for new stock. Redson & Cooley.

For the pleasure of her granddaughter, Miss Virginia Hanson, Mrs. R. Hanson took all the grandchildren and their mothers on a delightful trip to Traverse City Tuesday and Wednesday.

Charles J. Blair of East Lansing is visiting at the home of Charles Blair, attending to spend a few days fishing here, and on the South Boardman river in Kalkaska county.

Mrs. Rosa Joseph is leaving today for Milwaukee after several weeks spent in Grayling looking after her business interests. She has rented her home on Peninsular avenue to Victor Smith and family.

Lost—A tan colored leather traveling bag between Roscommon and Grayling, Thursday, July 2nd. Suitable reward given for its return. Kindly leave information at Avalanche Office.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank LaMotte and family, Mrs. Agnes Bonifas and David LaMotte motored to Garden, Mich., the latter part of the week to attend the funeral of Isaac Carron. Miss Lillie LaMotte remained in Garden.

Buy your ticket now for the fair that will be given on August 15 at the school gymnasium by St. Mary's Altar society. The admission ticket gives you a chance on the Ford roadster will be given away that evening.

Leon Estelle of Gaylord is a patient at Mercy hospital, undergoing an operation on his right leg. He was the victim of an accident on the Fourth when a piece of firecracker, thrown carelessly by some boy entered the calf of his leg.

Mrs. Charles Tromble and granddaughter Miss Margaret Warren returned Saturday from a several weeks visit with the former's daughters, Mrs. Florence Warren of Detroit and Mrs. Guy Bradley and family of Royal Oak.

The ladies of the It Suits Us club enjoyed a pleasant evening playing "500" at the home of Mrs. A. Kraus Tuesday. Prizes were won by Mrs. Victor Smith and Mrs. Earl Dawson.

Mrs. Rosa Joseph received the guest prize. A lovely lunch was served the guests.

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Supt. and Mrs. B. E. Smith returned home from Tecumseh Saturday to stay for a few days, returning to Tecumseh Tuesday morning, where they are spending the month. They are accompanied home by Miss Hazel Olmstead of Detroit who will spend the remainder of the month at the Smith home as a guest of Miss Eva Smith.

At a meeting of St. Mary's Altar society last Monday afternoon, at the parsonage, many details of their fair and entertainment were planned, and chairmen were chosen to head the various committees. The entertainment for the affair, both afternoon and evening will be under direction of Mrs. W. H. Wolf, which assures a high class program.

Ben Jerome, Jr., 10 years old, who with his mother, sister and brother of Pontiac, are occupying the Bates cottage at Lake Margrethe, was a pretty proud youngster when he landed, unassisted, a three pound black bass Monday evening. This was his first big catch and he shared his pleasure with his grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Bates, by inviting them out to help eat the fish.

Vincens Grandjean, who owned the Star stables here a couple of years ago, arrived in Grayling the forepart of the week accompanied by Mr. P. Rodholt of Denmark. The gentlemen have been making a tour of the United States the past couple of months. Tuesday evening they left for New York. Mr. Rodholt expecting to return to his home in Denmark. Mr. Grandjean will return to Grayling next week for a longer visit.

Tuesday afternoon Geo. Sheldon of Frederic, driving a Studebaker car had a rear end collision with a Cadillac car belonging to Harry Winegar-den of Flint. Both cars were badly damaged. There are conflicting stories about how it happened. According to information gathered the Cadillac car was traveling a rate of about 35 miles per hour and suddenly slowed up because of some cattle in the road, when the Studebaker coming up from behind struck it. With Mr. Sheldon was John W. Burke of Frederic, who received a bad gash in the back of his head, and who was brought to Mercy hospital to have the wound dressed. With Mr. Winegar-den was his family, and they were on their way to Petoskey.

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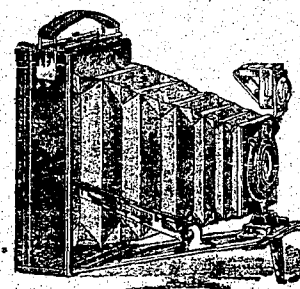
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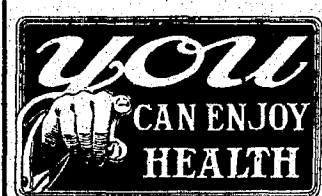
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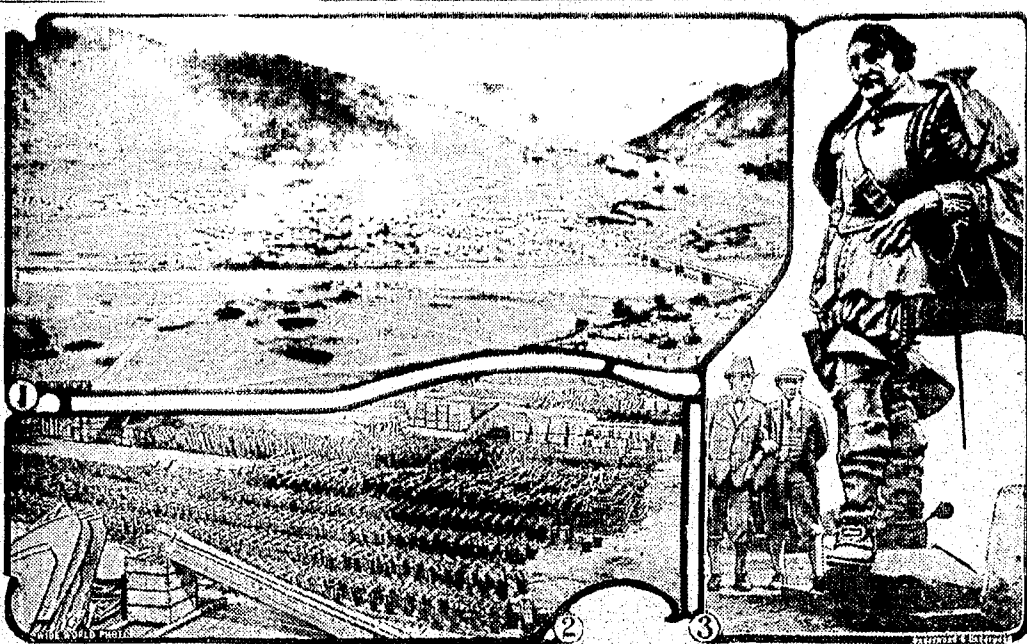
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1—French encampment on the Ouerqa river in Morocco where the Rifians are making fierce attacks. 2—Great quantities of agricultural implements at Leningrad imported by Russian government, which plans on huge grain exports. 3—Twelve-foot statue of Champlain unveiled at Orillia, Ont., on Dominion day.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Evolution Trial in Dayton, Tenn., Draws Attention of the Civilized World.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD.

DESPITE all the jokes, sneers and laughter, the evolution trial that opened last week in the little town of Dayton, Tenn., is bound to attract popular attention, not alone in America, but throughout the civilized world. Of course the statement of William Jennings Bryan that Christianity is on trial is oratorical fluff, but no more accurate is the statement that the theory of evolution is on trial. But if the people read understandingly the evidence to be offered by experts, many thousands of them will learn that their former conception of that theory was utterly mistaken. Mr. Bryan, two days before the case was called, said publicly that the Tennessee anti-evolution law "simply prohibits the evolutionists from using the public schools for the purpose of substituting their kind of religion for the religion of the masses." This did not please the counsel for the defense, who seek to make the constitutionality of the law the main issue and religion secondary. Prof. John R. Neal, senior counsel for Scopes, said:

"We regard Mr. Bryan's speech as the most remarkable utterance ever made by a lawyer just before his entrance into a trial of a criminal case. His speech comes as a challenge to the defense not to confine the test of the anti-evolution law to the existing limitation of the constitution of Tennessee or even the United States, but, instead, to put on trial the truth or lack of truth of the theory of evolution; the conflict or lack of conflict between science and religion, having demonstrated, as he apparently expects to do, at least to his own satisfaction, that evolution is untrue and that it is destructive to Christianity."

Mr. Bryan's arrival in Dayton was made the occasion for a great demonstration. He was greeted as a hero, escorted to his temporary home by a long parade and banqueted by the leading club of the village, before which he did a lot of advance arguing of the Scopes case. The attorneys for the defense and some of their experts—scientists and ministers—also arrived in the town. But Bainbridge Colby, who was to be associated with Professor Neal, Clarence Darrow, Dudley Field Malone and Arthur Garfield Hays in the defense, telegraphed that he was detained by a case in New York. He may show up later if his services are needed. Earlier in the week the defense made a somewhat perfunctory attempt to get from Federal Judge Gore in Cookeville, Tenn., an injunction to halt the trial, citing the fourteenth amendment to the Constitution. The judge denied the petition on the ground that he had no power to interfere with state courts except in bankruptcy proceedings, and that the allegations were insufficient and that he was not in the district where the alleged offense was committed. Needless to say, this ruling was a great relief to Dayton.

Perhaps fresh ammunition for the Scopes defense is provided in a newly published report of biological researches at Johns Hopkins, in which it is stated that Dr. Herbert Spencer Jennings, director of the biological laboratory, is the first man "actually to see and control the process of evolution among living things." According to the report:

"The evidence of evolution had been read in the rocks and the structures of plants and animals, but under the microscope Doctor Jennings was able to follow evolution not as a theory but as a thing that was actually taking place."

"Intensified study," Doctor Jennings declares, "reveals that the hereditary characteristics do become changed by external conditions. Through such diversities, continuing for great numbers of generations, single stocks, uniform in their hereditary characteristics, gradually differentiate into

many faintly differing hereditary features. "In higher organisms the state of knowledge on this point appears less satisfactory. But the evidence, so far as it goes, indicates that processes here are in agreement with those in lower organisms."

FOREIGN MINISTER TCHITCHERIN and his colleagues seem determined to bring about a break between Russia and Great Britain over the Chinese situation, and have been bombarding Downing street with provocative notes demanding the release of Dosser, the Russian strike fomentier arrested in Shanghai, denying the jurisdiction of the mixed tribunal in his case and finally challenging the whole status of British subjects in China under the extraterritorial rights granted to foreign concessions by previous treaties with China. Similar notes of protest were sent to the Chinese government by Moscow. This straining of relations, coupled with a row between Germany and Russia over the arrest and sentence to death of some German students who were convicted of being anti-soviet plotters, gave rise to fears that widespread hostilities might break out shortly. But the British cabinet took things calmly and Foreign Minister Chamberlain somewhat reassured anxious members of parliament by stating that the government was not preparing to break off relations with Russia. He added, however, that it was closely watching the current of events, and reiterated a previous assertion that the government "must retain liberty of action."

The Reds overlook no opportunity to stir up trouble. When a British fleet visited Oslo, Norway, last week the Communists there appealed to the members of the crews, urging them to "rise in revolt rather than to obey your government if you are ordered to make war on Russia."

From Riga comes a story that Great Britain has asked Germany to publish all the documents in connection with the German general staff's transporting of Lenin and his aids from Switzerland in 1917 and to disclose the amount of money paid them to stage the Bolshevik revolution. Moscow is said to be much worried by this, fearing the disclosures would seriously weaken the authority of the Communist party and the prestige of the Soviet government.

Russia also is becoming involved in new difficulties with Poland. Recently there have been a number of attacks by Russian soldiers on Polish frontier posts, and more than two hundred Soviet emissaries have been arrested in eastern Poland within a few days.

IT BEGINS to look as if France would have to send hundreds of thousands of troops to Morocco as reinforcements, if Abdel-Krim is to be stopped—and maybe even that would not do it. The Rifian leader, who calls himself sultan of Morocco, has been making a series of fierce attacks on the French line between Taza and Fez and his troops are not far from the latter city, his main objective. His propaganda among the tribes hitherto friendly to the French is taking effect and some of them have joined his standard, while others have been disarmed by the French. Should Krim be able to take Fez and overthrow Sultan Muley Youssef there would almost certainly be a general uprising throughout Morocco in favor of the Rif leader. Realizing this, Marshal Lyautey is hurrying tanks, artillery, cavalry and machine guns to the line north of the capital to hold Krim back until reinforcements arrive from France. Premier Painleve has said the Rifians are aided by Turkish and German officers, and now a government newspaper in Paris gives details of the German, Russian and Turkish intrigues in the Rif. Among other things, it says 100 Moslem officers from Batum were landed secretly on the Rif coast not long ago from a Turkish ship. Spain and France have agreed on a combined land blockade of the Rif war zone to supplement the sea blockade, and also have reached an accord on political co-operation in Morocco. They will offer Krim autonomy in the Rif under a Spanish protectorate. Gen. Stanislaus Naulin has been made French commander-in-chief in Morocco.

FIGURES SHOW EUROPE returning to normal. Washington.—The splendid financial, economic and commercial improvement noted in Europe enabled that group of countries to increase their purchases from the United States by \$212,000,000 during the first five months of 1925, over the corresponding months in 1924, according to figures made public by the Department of Commerce. Imports to the United States from Europe increased \$84,000,000 during the same period. "Our exports to Europe during the early months of this year amounted to \$1,127,300,000, more than a \$200,000,000 increase over the corresponding five months of 1924, when they reached valuations of \$915,222,000, or a gain of 4 per cent," said the report. "Total United States shipments abroad during the time under discussion amounted to \$2,055,100,000, as against \$1,782,734,000 during the 1924 five months' period. Thus it is seen that our increased shipments to Eu-

SUCCESSFUL bank robberies have become so common that bankers all over the country have been seeking some means to combat the bandits. Those of Cook county, Illinois, have gone to the extreme of offering \$2,500 reward for the death of each bank robber. Meanwhile a device tried in Elmhurst, Ill., seems to offer the way out. Lewisite, the most deadly of gases invented during the war, is placed in glass containers which shatter at the least disturbance of the vault. The Elmhurst robbers were put to flight by the gas without any plunder.

FEDERAL prohibition officers on the shore of Lake Ontario were making all preparation last week to try to drive back a tidal wave of liquor from Canada but admitted they were handicapped by lack of facilities. They had received word that an armada of 17 vessels was loading at Port Colborne, Ont., and would soon make a dash for the United States with cargoes valued at more than \$250,000. The chief enforcement agent at Buffalo said his men could do nothing until the liquor was landed.

By order of Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Andrews, there will be no more speechmaking by women prohibition agents designed as educational efforts to create sentiment in favor of enforcement.

THOMAS LEE WOOLWINE, whose name was familiar throughout the country a few years ago when he was district attorney of Los Angeles, Cal., is dead at his home in Los Angeles. He was prosecutor in the sensational trials of Madalynne Obenchain, accused of the murder of J. Belton Kennedy, and for a long time he was a prominent figure in California politics.

BECAUSE of its "inability to comply with the provisions of the Capper-Volstead act, under which it was incorporated," the Grain Marketing company, that ambitious co-operative enterprise which took over several large grain companies of the Middle West, is to liquidate and dissolve. The properties and business contributed by the component concerns will be returned to them and already two of them, the Armour Grain company and Rosenbaum Bros., have been readmitted to membership in the Chicago Board of Trade clearing house and will resume trading. The Grain Marketing company, it was announced, would pay its bank debt and other indebtedness as it matures.

"The plan to sell the properties to the farmers was too ambitious," said Emanuel F. Rosenbaum, export director of the concern. "There was considerable doubt as to whether the properties were worth \$16,000,000. There isn't much doubt that some of the elevator values were inflated."

Directly resulting from the non-success of this enterprise came the failure of the big Chicago and New York brokerage house of Denn, Omeltia & Company, which handled the Rosenbaum stock in the concern. It went into the hands of a receiver with liabilities of approximately \$35,000,000, but it was believed the net loss would not exceed \$5,000,000. Creditors of the company and bankers made a determined effort last week to rehabilitate it.

PRESIDENT COOLIDGE plans to spend some of his vacation time in trying to develop a farm legislation program that will satisfy all groups and stand a chance of getting through congress next winter. He has invited a number of Middle West senators, representatives and farm experts to confer with him at White Court. One of the first of these to visit the President will be Senator Curtis of Kansas.

SPEAKING of grain and farming, it is interesting to read that the rulers of soviet Russia are planning to export immense quantities of grain from that country next winter, despite the near-famine that prevails every year in various districts. With that end in view the authorities have been importing a vast deal of agricultural implements and are encouraging the farmers to raise large crops. However, the peasants may hang back for they do not relish the way in which the government takes their grain at fixed prices.

A proposal by the National Guard that the state purchase of the Manitoba and Northeastern railroad was turned down by the administrative board. The M. & N. E. is seeking to abandon its line. It was pointed out that the spur is needed to provide rail access to the National Guard camp.

Cadillac is placed definitely in the 12,000 population class by the latest estimates furnished by the school census, recently completed. Every ward shows a gain over last year.

Michigan Happenings

Pouring of concrete has started on Michigan's single building of the present year, the structure to house the Thomas H. Simpson memorial institute. Plans call for the completion of the building in 1926. The structure, which will house the first distinctly research unit connected with the medical school of the University of Michigan, will be 71 by 40 feet, four stories and a sub-basement. The original plans called for a brick structure but final plans call for an Indiana lime stone building, similar to the administration unit of the new hospital.

The Port Huron city commission has a problem in public utility service, which appears difficult to settle, in connection with the request of the Detroit Edison company, owners of the Port Huron gas works, for permission to reduce the standard of gas from 600 B.T.U. to 530. The city charter gives the commission the right to grant an increase in rates but the right to change the standard, which in this case will be a practical increase in price, will likely be referred to the public utilities commission or to a general city election.

Pennies and nickels saved through the schools savings system by pupils of Manistee public schools during the past four years now total \$3,975, according to an announcement at the close of the school year. Though eighth graders, upon graduation, separate their accounts from the school system, the total amount of savings is growing annually and is becoming a real course in thrift for the city's children. The greatest individual account totals \$137.05, but most of them are much smaller as there are almost 300 individual accounts.

About \$70,000 damage was done to the Detroit Edison power plant at Superior, a few miles from Ypsilanti, when lightning struck the building. Light service in Ypsilanti, Ann Arbor and neighboring towns was cut off for two hours until an emergency crew of 50 men were able to establish temporary cutovers. Although the building was partially demolished, no one was hurt, as the two men in charge of the plant at the time, had just started outside to watch the storm.

One hundred students short of the enrollment of the summer session of a year ago has been reported by President Charles McKenney, of the Michigan State Normal College. The falling off is due, the president states, to the fact that only 200 students are enrolled in the six weeks course, which is the minimum required by state law of teachers in rural schools. This is the last year that the six weeks minimum is permitted.

Because he mistook Kalamazoo for Detroit, Joseph Jakerbooke, of Hamtramck, spent several hours in the Kalamazoo County jail. He was arrested by an officer wandering about the streets looking for a "Michigan car." He told Sheriff Borden that he had fallen asleep on a train from Chicago and awakening here believed he was in Detroit. He was put on an eastbound train and sent to his destination.

Charles J. DeLand, secretary of state, has ordered the sale of automobile licenses from the office of Arnold T. Graves, missing Manistee County treasurer, discontinued indefinitely. In the meantime, state officials and county officers are making a check of the books in Graves' office to determine whether or not there is a shortage.

Port Huron faces a suspension of street car service as the result of an ultimatum delivered by the receivers of the Detroit United Railway, which owns and operates the city electric railway company. The ultimatum states that unless the company is permitted to increase its fares from five to seven cents a ride it will suspend.

A 30-foot power dam will be constructed on the Muskegon River, about one mile north of Paris, it is announced by W. H. Allswede, of Hersey. The new dam will supply farmers and towns in that territory with power. A corporation will be formed with a capital of \$1,000,000, according to present plans.

Another state police post for the upper peninsula is to be established in Iron Mountain, according to a plan under consideration by the state department of public safety. Captain Downing said this county would serve as a central point for policing four other counties.

"Krip," a bull dog, gave his life in protecting Miss Mable Hilt, its owner, at the Hilt summer camp near Grand Haven. A big rattlesnake entered the camp and while Charles Hilt, a brother of Mable, ran for a club, the dog gave battle and killed the snake. The dog was bitten, however, and died a few hours later.

Damage estimated by the owner at between \$150,000 and \$175,000, was caused by fire in a furniture store at Bay City.

The Wabash Railroad desires to absorb the Ann Arbor Railroad to acquire Grand Lakes car ferry facilities and to link the Michigan territory tapped by the Ann Arbor with its own system, according to a petition received by the Public Utilities Commission.

A friend's story caused Ford Curtis, a barber of Grand Rapids, to laugh so hard that he dislocated his jaw. The jaw was placed in its normal position at Butterworth hospital.

A new trial is in prospect for Mrs. Alice Dudgeon, once convicted of the murder of her son-in-law, Romie Hodell, and once the victim of a jury disagreement in a second trial. William J. Branstrom, former Newaygo county prosecutor, who prosecuted both cases against Mrs. Dudgeon, said that he could not consent to an order of nolle prosequi, dismissing the charges against Mrs. Dudgeon, in the light of her first conviction and the fact that the jury in the second trial stood eight to four for conviction again.

Whitehall and Montague merchants have tons of food on their hands and are wondering what to do with it. At the same time the White Lake Chamber of Commerce and Mississippi Valley Power Boat Association Regatta are figuring their losses. From the attendance standpoint the regatta was a failure. The big grandstand was practically empty during the three days of racing, while merchants who stocked up with supplies of food were asking people to eat more to aid in relieving the surplus.

Both state and federal supreme court decisions will be sought on the validity of the Michigan statute of 1923 prohibiting an owner from fishing on posted property where other persons are barred, according to John Baird, director of the state conservation. Baird's department obtained a warrant for the arrest of Frank Collins, Toledo sportsman, who fished on his land in Lake county after he had posted it to keep other persons from enjoying similar privileges.

Within two or three years a large fleet of trans-Atlantic freighters may be plying between Detroit and foreign ports. The maiden ship arrived in Detroit bringing a cargo of steel rails from Antwerp. She is the steamship Anders, belonging to the Lane company of New York City. At the Hotel Tuller, Frank Lane, president of the concern, stated that his company was prepared to bring to Detroit the European imports - the city needed and would carry its exports abroad.

A 140,000 volt transmission line, one of the main arteries of the Consumers' Power Co., and one of the highest voltage cables in the state, broke near Bellevue, causing wire fences to become charged with electricity for a distance of two miles, stunned two men nearly a mile away, killed two head of cattle and started a fire that destroyed 20 acres of hay.

Twenty thousand persons are estimated to have attended the annual homecoming picnic sponsored by the Warren Community Club of Warren the Fourth. A parade, races, a ball game in which Centerline won from Warren, a tug of war between these two towns, dancing and fireworks comprised the program. No accidents were reported.

Grand River, especially that stretch of it which crosses the entire width of Ionia county, is just now about as near a dusty stream as it ever was with the rainfall for the year showing a shortage of seven inches. Many of the feeding creeks and rivulets have dried up entirely, wells and cisterns have gone dry and the year has proven one of disastrous aridness.

Operations at the Traders mine at Iron Mountain, idle for two years, will be resumed by the Hoose & Person Construction Co., who have obtained a 15-year lease on the property from the Keweenaw Land Co. Thirty men will be employed. The company has a contract for 10,000 tons of ore and another for 20,000 is pending.

Mrs. Kate Bromeling, Albion's first woman justice of the peace, had her first criminal cases as the result of three arrests made over the Fourth. Justice Bromeling fined two who pleaded guilty to driving while intoxicated, \$50 and revoked their licenses for 90 days. Another was fined \$10 on a drunk charge.

Leslie Doane, 62, and his wife, 32, of Paw Paw, were adjudged insane and committed to the Kalamazoo Hospital following a terrific battle with deputies to overpower them. The couple resisted arrest after deputies tried to apprehend them on the charge that Doane had killed his horse in a fit of insanity.

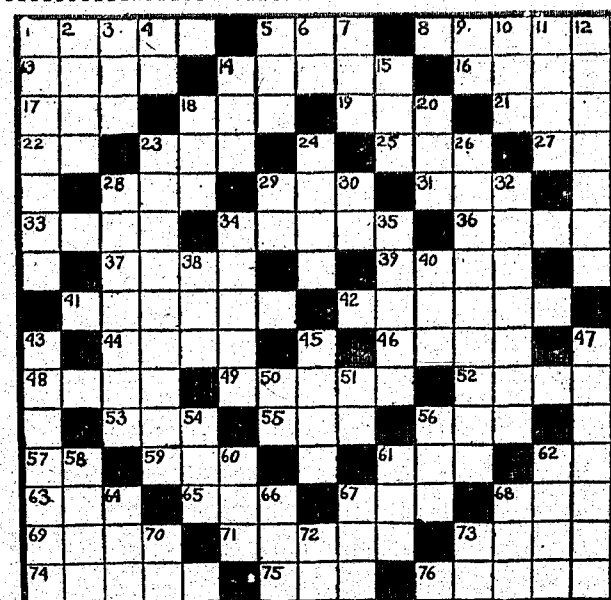
By a consolidation which has been effected between the Jackson, Majestic and Rex theater companies and the W. S. Butterfield organization of Michigan theaters, the Butterfield booking officers will be in control of three of Jackson's largest theater houses.

The State Administrative Board authorized the military department to accept a bid for the construction of an addition to the Benton Harbor Armory. The price was \$24,000, with an additional \$1,000 for architects fees.

Awakened by two strangers who demanded \$2,000, Agnello Giacomo, a factory worker, of Grand Rapids, was made the target of a dozen revolver shots when he slammed down his bedroom window in front of them. He was not hit. The men escaped.

Cherry pickers have taken to the orchards, officially opening the cherry harvest in Grand Traverse region. Some of the canning plants are handling the early fruit, but much of the sweet crop is being shipped.

CROSS-WORD PUZZLE



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- Horizontal**
- 1—To empty
 - 2—Upon
 - 3—Spongy tissue in stems (plural)
 - 4—Part of harness
 - 5—Part of the body
 - 6—One of a breed of pet dogs
 - 7—A domestic animal
 - 8—A southern constellation
 - 9—Part of the verb "to be"
 - 10—An artificial elevation in a popular game
 - 11—Means of fastening
 - 12—Small
 - 13—Margin
 - 14—Shaggy-haired animals
 - 15—A river in Egypt
 - 16—A biblical character
 - 17—Secured
 - 18—Represents dramatically
 - 19—Starks with a hot iron
 - 20—An entertainment by two persons
 - 21—To stake or put up
 - 22—Sour in aspect
 - 23—Godness of the rainbow
 - 24—Belonging to it
 - 25—A title of respect
 - 26—To weaken
 - 27—An assemblage
 - 28—A thick preserve
 - 29—Lubricates
 - 30—A single-edged knife like a machete
 - 31—Relating to a swelling
 - 32—A number
 - 33—Projections of somewhat rounded forms
 - 34—To empty
 - 35—Possesses
 - 36—A person of little account
 - 37—A thing to be done
 - 38—You and I
 - 39—A suffix denoting an agent
 - 40—Those who offer prices
 - 41—A city in Montana
 - 42—Wandering
 - 43—A high card
 - 44—A Scotch forename
 - 45—A form in which volumes are produced
 - 46—To tear by force
 - 47—Inhabitants of an Arctic region
 - 48—A negative
 - 49—Objective form of "I"
 - 50—Not bright
 - 51—An electrified particle
 - 52—A meat and vegetable stew
 - 53—To plunder
 - 54—To be discordant
 - 55—Without color
 - 56—Doctor of laws
 - 57—A conjunction
 - 58—Boggy land
 - 59—A situation or employment
 - 60—A continent
 - 61—An old form of you
 - 62—An exclamation used to frighten

Solution of Last Week's Puzzle.

MEAGRY, BURSA, RAGOUTS, REPENTS, SOL TOTEM, POE, DEALERS, POLARIS, AL ERI, P AIR NA, N AGRARIANISM, P, DIF, E N, ERG, PIT, BALLOTS, 300, IT, SE, E, S, OS, IN, ETON, SAMOS, MAINE, ORATES, MOPING, A, EPIDEMICITY, A, SI, PEAS, AKEE, AM, PRIEST, ERRANT, CEE, ELECT, 33E.

HOW TO SOLVE A CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

When the correct letters are placed in the white spaces this puzzle will spell words both vertically and horizontally. The first letter in each word is indicated by a number, which refers to the definition listed below the puzzle. Thus No. 1 under the column headed "horizontal" defines a word which will fill all the white spaces up to the first black square to the right, and a number under "vertical" defines a word which will fill all the white squares to the next black square below. No letters go in the black spaces. All words used are dictionary words, except proper names. Abbreviations, slang, initials, technical terms and obsolete forms are indicated in the definitions.

LIKING WORK

By THOMAS ARKLE CLARK.

MY neighbor, Warner down the street is always busy. During the spring and summer I can see him at almost any hour of the day pottering about the yard. His lawn is always carefully mowed. His borders are in order. The little garden back of his house is carefully cared for. When snow falls during the late autumn or winter he is the first man on the street to have his walk cleaned. He is not satisfied with just pushing a reluctant shovel down the middle of the path to the street. He cleans the whole expanse neatly and painstakingly, and extends his labors to the walk along the front of his lot. Sometimes when he feels more than ordinarily full of "pep," he does the work of the widow next door. I have always felt that when a man living on a corner lot shovels the snow from the walk all about his premises, it is a pretty good indication that he likes work. Work is for Warner an avocation, a hobby, a delight. He enjoys it. His greatest grief is the thought that he may some day not be able to work. In some ways he is unique. "Why do you work so constantly?" I asked him one day when he seemed more than ordinarily aggressive. "I don't know any better," he answered. "But any way, I'd rather work than eat."

There are not many like him. Few people, whom I have known, would work if they did not have to, or if through early necessity they had not cultivated the habit with such persistence that it is easier for them to continue the practice than to give it up. They take consolation in the fact that they may some day be able to evade work entirely.

Every autumn I am besieged by a crowd of young fellows who want a job, who are without adequate resources and who need to earn money. They go to their tasks like a boy to a licking. They have no enthusiasm for what they are doing. When an old acquaintance or a football game comes along, they fail to show up, confident that they will not be missed, or that someone else will take care of their tasks.

A group of workmen during a considerable period of time last summer was engaged in laying the walk, or reorganizing the pavement, or hunting for the sewer in front of my house. They used to arrive in the morning long before the hour designated by the

union, for the beginning of their labors. They used my yard as a rendezvous, and I could easily watch their movements. There was no suggestion of labor before the whistle blew. They made no preparations to begin. They lay down beside their work as contentedly as a dog curls up behind the kitchen stove to go to sleep after a hearty meal. I suppose, in fact, that it would have been a heinous breach of regulation if they had done otherwise. They stretched comfortably in the grass smoking and talking animatedly.

When the signal for the fatal hour of work sounded they arose slowly, deliberately, reluctantly and dragged themselves to their tasks, as if they were getting ready for their own hanging. There was no enthusiasm, no evidence of joy in the toil they were taking up, no suggestion of eagerness or liking for their work. If the "boss" came along to give directions to one of them, the others seized upon this as an opportunity for a little breathing spell, stopped their work and gathered round, to hear the gossip or the call down. Often during the morning I would look out to see them leaning heavily on the pick or the shovel or standing aimlessly gazing into space. The work lagged as it always does when one watches the clock. It was only when the whistle blew at twelve or at six o'clock, and they dropped their tools that they sprang up and showed any speed.

My father used to tell of a man who was regularly looking for work and hoping all the time that he would not find it. There are many like him. I am convinced, yet such men can hardly hope to make much advancement or to get much pleasure out of life.

One ought to like his work; he should go to it with pleasure and leave it with regret. The man who cannot bring himself to like work is due for a great many disagreeable moments if he lives long, for the majority of us will have a good deal of it to do before we go to our eternal rest, and possibly afterward.

The most unhappy people I know are the people who have no work to do, who spend their time as they like, and grumble because there is no variety in life. Work seems to me one of the greatest blessings, that our Creator devised for us. When for his disobedience, man was condemned to earn his bread by the sweat of his brow, I have always figured out that if he were not actually found "not guilty" he, at least, received the minimum penalty.

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Post Office Supplies

An idea of the pens and penholders and ink used by post offices throughout the United States is gained from the fact that the department will purchase for 1925-26, 6,185,000 pens, 480,000 penholders and 75,000 quarts of ink.

Biggest Auto Dump

Thousands of junked cars from New York city are placed on the city dump every year. A large gang of junkmen make a living by stripping them of everything of any value.

Began in Lowly Position

Giuliano da Sangallo, the great Italian architect, contemporary and associate in the building of St. Peter's, Rome, of Michelangelo, Bramante and Raphael, entered the service of Paul II as a mason in the year 1465.

London's Pikemen

Members of the company of pikemen of London wear armor of sheet steel and red-brick uniforms of the name of Charles I.

Figures Show Europe Returning to Normal

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The AMERICAN LEGION

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VETERANS' BUREAU WILL AID LEGION

Rapid strides are being made by the American Legion in its program of arrangements for caring for the orphaned and dependent children of World War veterans. It was announced at national headquarters of the Legion, numerous significant developments have taken place recently.

Detailed plans are being worked out for co-operation of the United States Veterans' bureau with the Legion in this work. Maj. Davis G. Arnold, newly appointed national guardianship officer in the bureau, at a meeting of the national children's welfare committee of the Legion, the Auxiliary and the Forty and Eight recently, endorsed the work being done.

Major Arnold told of an investigation being made by his division into the care of minor children wards of the bureau. He stated that a complete list of children of veterans who are in hospitals is being assembled and assistance will be given through the Post Office department in locating veterans' children who cannot be found at their last known addresses.

A board of nine directors to have executive direction of the child welfare work has been appointed, three by National Commander James A. Drain; three by Mrs. O. D. Ollphant, national president of the Auxiliary; and three by George Dobson, chief de chemin de fer of the Forty and Eight. The members are: Fred D. McCarthy, Minnesota; George A. Withers, Kansas; Mark T. McKee, Michigan, chairman; Mrs. S. E. Hudson, Texas; Mrs. A. H. Hoffman, Iowa, secretary; Mrs. Ray Callahan, Kansas; George Dobson, New Jersey; George F. Plant, Wisconsin, vice chairman; Herb E. Michaels, Ohio.

The fourth cottage at the regional children's billet at Otter Lake, Michigan, was opened recently. The corner stone for a new hospital-administration unit, to cost \$35,000, has been laid. Eighty-six children can now be cared for at Otter Lake.

The billet at Clarksboro, N. J., has been opened. Twenty-six children can be accommodated there. The billet is in charge of a board headed by Eugene Pattison, commander of the New Jersey department. Other members are Dr. Iredell J. Wyckoff, Pennsylvania; Jay M. Holmes, Delaware; H. Findley French, Maryland; Nigel Chomley-Jones, New York; Mrs. E. B. Garrison, New York.

Construction work is now under way at the billet at Legionville, near Independence, Kan. The work is under the direction of a board recently appointed. The members are: National Vice Commander Frank H. McFarland, Kansas, chairman; Mrs. Ray Callahan, Kansas; Charles S. Hoffman, Kansas; Jay Scovel, Kansas; W. J. Johnson, Texas; J. Ed C. Elischer, Nebraska; Morton David, Colorado; Frank T. Douglas, Oklahoma; Ralph Lloyd Jones, Iowa; Carl R. Maudin, Missouri; and Dr. W. R. Brookshire, Jr., Arkansas. Miss Emily Puschner, formerly agent for the board of children's guardians at St. Louis, Mo., is now a case worker in the child welfare division.

Indiana War Memorial Turned Over to Legion

With representatives of every state present, the first unit of Indiana's \$10,000,000 war memorial project was recently dedicated and turned over to the American Legion as a national headquarters building.

The ceremonies attendant on the dedication were simple and impressive. A parade which included the massed colors of each state department of the Legion began the program. National Commander James A. Drain led the way with Gov. Ed Jackson of Indiana. The national executive committee from each department followed.

In brief addresses, Governor Jackson proffered the building and Commander Drain accepted. The program was radio-cast.

The building is a four-story affair with Grecian simplicity of line and declared to be one of the most beautiful structures in Indiana. It has been thoroughly furnished in keeping with the tone. Each department including those abroad have special desks with the state seal. Special permission was obtained from the French government for the use of the French seal on the desk to be used by the committeeman from France.

Hanging in the executive lobby is the famous war picture, "American," by Reni-Mel, painter for the ministry of war in France in 1918.

Elaborate Decorations

Street decorations during the American Legion national convention to be held at Omaha, Neb., in October will be the most elaborate the convention has ever been greeted with, according to plans under way by the decoration committee. The feature of the decoration scheme as planned will be the jeweled "Legion Arch," in the center of the city. Uniform decorations by business houses and in the residence districts are being planned, while downtown streets will be a maze of color and multi-colored lights.

Scope Is Broadened

Rehabilitation of the soul as well as the body is a program announced by the department of California, American Legion. The work will consist of getting imprisoned veterans who are first offenders into contact with their families when they are released from prison. Then the Legion intends obtaining work for the former service men who have played squarer with their country than they have with themselves in their everyday walks of life.

STRAIGHT LINES CAPITULATE; THE LAST HATS OF SUMMER

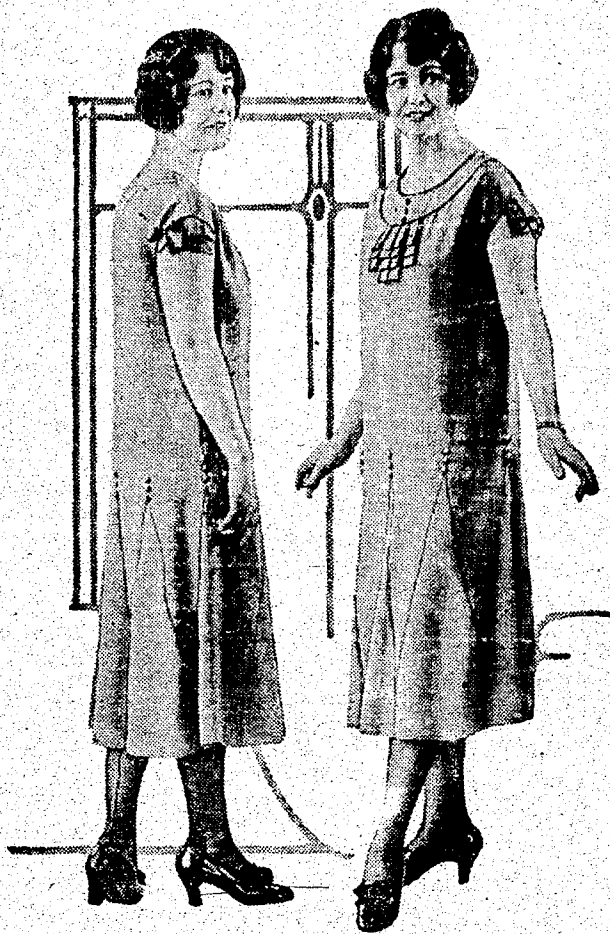
WITH much unanimity master designers decided to attack the straightline silhouette this spring—going on the theory that we can have too much of even a very good thing. Although the attack comes from all quarters it was not a marked success in the ranks of street and sports clothes. So far from disappearing, the straightline vogue has not even grown less—not so that you can notice it, when throngs on the street, or promenade on athletic fields, pass in review.

But among gay and light-minded afternoon frocks, there was much wavering—the attack has proved successful. In more or less informal afternoons, women are inclined to

and godels plaited at the top but loose at the bottom, are other means of insinuating fullness into afternoon and evening frocks.

Of certain kinds of hats it is not necessary to say anything—there are so many of them—they speak for themselves. The little felt hat, in pastel colors and white, for instance, is everywhere. It has been reinforced by similar hats of white kid and combinations of white and black in kid. Following immediately upon the heels of the kid hat came the hat of black patent leather, combined with white kid, in facings and decorations.

In dressier hats the wide-brimmed pastel-colored, half-brim shapes have outdistanced all rivals for midsummer.



Introducing the Flared Skirt.

ran after strange gods and to encourage new ideas. The flared skirt, flared dresses and tunic dresses all found themselves made welcome and all have appeared in many graceful versions. Even higher waistlines were occasionally entertained and the long sleeve succeeded in establishing a place for itself. Among these innovations, the most successful is the flared skirt. By fair means it has made itself a success that is going to last.

One of the most charming ways of introducing a flare in the straightline dress appears in the model shown here, where long godets join forces to overcome the severity of a plain crepe de chine frock. There is no sacrifice of the much-admired simplicity that

To the lighter shades fashion has added rich purples in pinks and fuchsias. Many of these half braids are flower-trimmed, with blossoms in shades of the same color as the hats. Tosses, with stems long and large chrysanthemums and water lilies are in great demand for them, but there are many models trimmed with silk or velvet, with printed chiffon or upphur figures of velvet.

Leaving these leading items out because every one is familiar with them, the group of hats pictured includes new developments of established styles—the last of the summer hats in which designers embody the season's most successful ideas. At the top of the group a hat of hair and straw braid



Varying Modes in Summer Hats.

fashion sponsors and there are also ingenious and original details of finish sure to win favor for this frock. They appear in groups of small crepe covered buttons posed at the point of each godet, in graduated loops made of folds of the crepe, used for finishing neck and short sleeves and in the narrow yoke.

Short, plaited skirts, set on to long bodices, circular flounces and tiers,

Balbriggan Frocks Are Striped

Among the smartest versions of the jumper frock are those made of balbriggan which have skirts in a plain color and the upper part fashioned of a crosswise striped material. The stripes are of the candy-stick type and extremely youthful and pretty.

Ties in Back

The smart scarf frock ties in the back and has the scarf weighed down with long tassels.

For the Traveler

A large square bag of heavy black taffeta holds the stunner rug and cushion. It is piped with the color of the rug and this color is repeated in a large and decorative monogram.

Plaid Madras Coat

A most original sports coat is a three-quarter length model made of yellow, red and black plaid madras and lined with yellow pannel.

Daddy's Evening Fairy Tale

MARY GRAHAM BONNER

ALLIGATOR HOUSE

In the alligator house in the zoo were some smaller houses in which were some Katydid, and this is to be an account of the talks Billie Brownie had with an alligator and some Katydid.

"It's not everyone," said Mr. Alligator, "who has had the interesting experiences I have had."

"Indeed," said Billie Brownie. The other alligators were especially interested in anything except their food and so they didn't say anything more. Soon they were fed and then they weren't very much interested in anything except a nap.

"I think I will talk to you before I, too, go to sleep," said Mr. Alligator. He knew the ways of alligators and why shouldn't he? He was one himself. And he also felt sleepy, for he, too, had eaten a good deal.

"Go ahead," said Billie Brownie, "and talk quickly, for soon you will be asleep."

"Well, I lived in one of the most fashionable of winter resorts. People used to come to the place where I lived and take holidays. Very rich people would come, too—oh, enormously rich people. They were the ones amongst whom I lived—the rich!" He smiled in his alligator way at Billie Brownie.

"They didn't live on the beach and in the water as I did. But they did go in the water. They lived in the great, enormous hotels and wore beautiful clothes and carried sunshades and were very fine indeed."

"But a guest at the hotel, one of them, was so taken with me that he took me along with him."

"That's a joke you see! He was so taken with me that he took me!"

"And he brought me to a more northern climate and I came here to the zoo to live. It's a nice zoo and they feed me well. I've no objections."



"Go Ahead," Said Billie Brownie.

But I've had an interesting life, for I lived in a rich and fashionable place, and when I first arrived in this city before I came to the zoo I was kept in a bath tub, I was!"

But before Billie Brownie had a chance to say anything the alligator had gone to sleep, so he went over to speak to Mrs. Katydid.

"The day has just about gone," she said.

"Where is it going?" asked Mr. Locust.

"It is going where all the days go," answered Mrs. Katydid.

"Where is that, pray tell?" begged Mr. Locust.

"Well," said Mrs. Katydid, "I am not so sure I can exactly tell you." Billie Brownie hoped they wouldn't ask him.

"She is not so sure she can exactly tell us," said the other insects in chorus.

"Tell us what you can, and as much as you know, even though it may be very little," said Mr. Locust.

"Mrs. Katydid was not in the least insulted because Mr. Locust had told her to say what she knew even though it was very little. She knew she wasn't so very, very wise, but it wasn't any disgrace and she didn't mind in the least. In fact she had often thought how tiresome it would be to know too much and to have to think and read and put on spectacles when she could be singing."

She had seen people who had come to the zoo with books on some subject called Natural History and, for some reason or other, she understood that she was a part of it. She had heard them say:

"Now this is specimen number 562."

All very absurd, she had thought.

"I really don't know just where the days go—not far away, though," she said, "for another will be back as soon as the night is past. Either another comes back in the same one. I am not sure which. I think another, perhaps, because the days seem different, some warm, some cold, some rainy, some snowy. Still people come back different days and they change. Sometimes they smile and sometimes they scowl and sometimes they seem happy."

"But no matter, when the night has passed another or the same day will come again. So we must make use of the night. It was in the night when the keeper caught us. He attracted us to him by his light."

"We must begin our concert," said Mr. Locust, "as you say, another day will come before long. So Billie Brownie heard the Locusts, Katydid, Field Crickets, Tree Crickets, Smooth-Winged Crickets and all of the others begin to sing as hard as they could."

Riddle

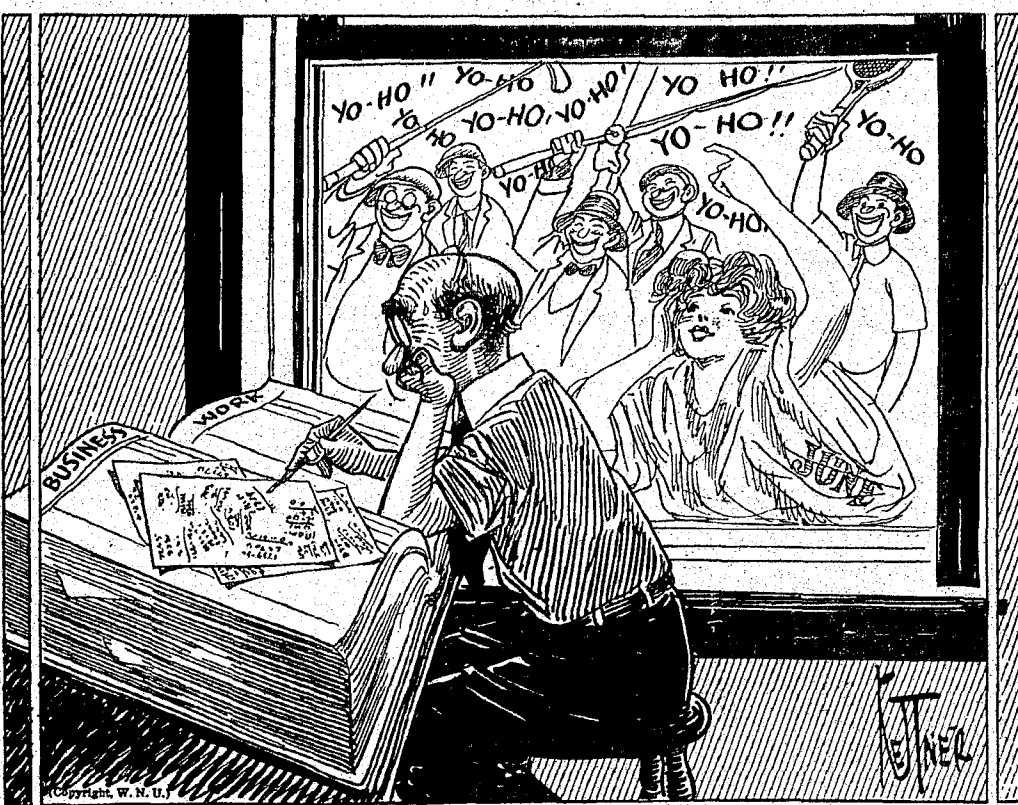
By countless teeth is all my body lined. The forest songs I feel with bite unkind. And yet in vain I eat; I throw it all behind. Answer: A saw.

Correct

"Now, Willie, give me a sentence containing the word chagrin." "Aw, why don't chagrin once in a while?"

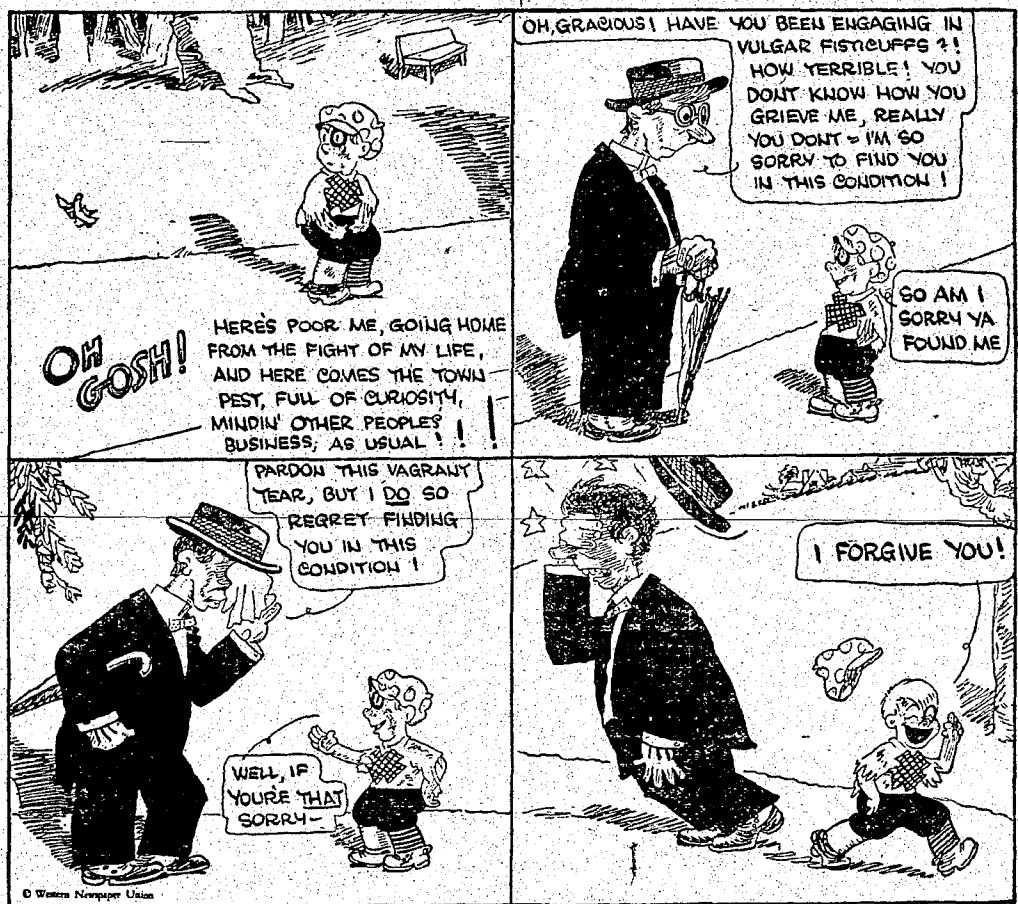
OUR COMIC SECTION

When It's Hard to Strike a Balance



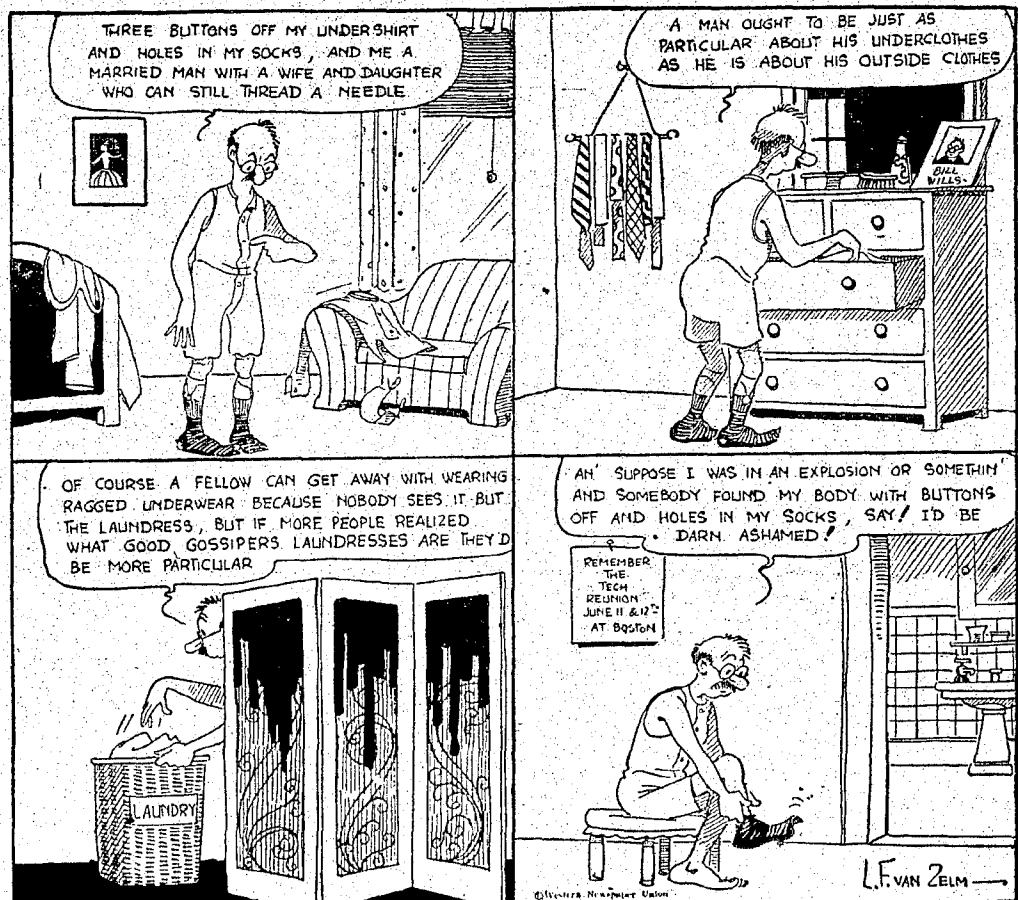
MICKIE, THE PRINTER'S DEVIL

Just Plain Foolishness



THE FEATHERHEADS

Worth a Thought Anyway



SOME AMBITION

Uncle Ned: What are you going to study to be when you grow up? Willie: A rich guy.

What a pity wisdom doesn't grow out on a man like his whiskers!

SENTIMENTALLY BROKE

It seems to me that Fred doesn't pay you the compliments he uses to. No, he's suspended payment.

Faith may move mountains, but only work has tunneled them.

POETRY AND FACT

Mary had a little lamb, So fast the creature grew That by the time that autumn came 'Twas served as mutton stew.

The umpire who renders a decision against the home team knows what it is to be without friends.

USED CARS!

In Good Condition

Dodge Touring Dort Touring
Durant, Glass Encloser
Ford, Winter Top Ford Sedan
Ford Touring
Easy Terms. Prices Right.

--- New Cars ---

Dodge and Buick

Call for a Demonstration

Grayling Auto Sales Co.

SUPERVISORS PROCEEDINGS

June Session, 1925

June 22, 1925.

At a meeting of the Board of Supervisors for the County of Crawford, held at the Court House in the Village of Grayling, Michigan, on Monday, the 22nd day of June, A. D. 1925. Board met pursuant to the provisions of Act No. 8 of the Public Acts of 1921.

Present: William Ferguson, Beaver Creek; Floyd A. Goshorn, Frederic; Anthony J. Nelson, Grayling; James E. Kellogg, Lovells; Rufus Edmonds, Maple Forest, and James H. Williams, South Branch.

Absent: None.

Board called to order.

Moved by Williams, supported by Nelson, that the matter of equalization of the assessment rolls of the townships of the county be referred to a committee of the whole for consideration and report. Motion carried.

Moved by Nelson, supported by Williams, that the Board adjourn to tomorrow morning at nine o'clock in the forenoon. Motion carried.

Frank Sales, Clerk. Rufus Edmonds, Chairman.

Tuesday Session.

June 23rd, 1925.

Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Present: Goshorn, Ferguson, Nelson, Kellogg, Edmonds, Williams.

Absent: None.

STATE OF MICHIGAN.

The Board of Supervisors for the County of Crawford:

To the Hon. Board of Supervisors:

Your Committee on Equalization beg leave to report that they have examined the Assessment rolls of the several townships of Crawford County for the year 1925 and have equalized the same as shown by the following tabulated statement, to-wit:

TOWNSHIPS	Number of Acres	Assessed Val. of Real Estate	Assessed Val. of Personal Property	Total of Assessed Val.	Amount added to Real Est. Val.	Amount deducted from Real Est. Val.	Equalized Val. of Real Estate	Aggregate equalized Val. of Real and Personal Property
Beaver Creek	34,864.65	\$ 253,980	\$ 6,085	\$ 260,065		\$ 3,065	\$ 257,000	\$ 257,000
Frederic	55,745.29	395,020	37,876	432,896		2,696	430,200	430,200
Grayling	80,060.75	1,453,105	480,350	1,933,455	\$15,045		1,948,500	\$1,948,500
Maple Forest	22,643.71	203,595	2,667	206,262		262	206,000	206,000
South Branch	62,021.67	393,230	18,280	411,510		6,710	404,800	404,800
Lovells	43,105.78	348,150	4,050	352,200		2,200	350,000	350,000
TOTAL	298,535.85	\$3,047,080	\$549,608	\$3,596,688	\$15,045	\$14,733	\$3,047,392	\$3,597,000

Adopted and approved by the Board of Supervisors this 23rd day of June, 1925.

Rufus Edmonds, Chairman of the Board of Supervisors.

Frank Sales, Clerk.

Committee of the Whole, as

Moved by Kellogg and supported by Williams that the report of the Committee of the Whole as the Committee on Equalization be accepted, approved and adopted, and that the several Supervisors be and are herewith authorized and directed to spread the taxes assessed for the year 1925 upon their respective rolls for their said townships, according to the equalized report for the ensuing year, and that the assessment rolls thereof stand as equalized in said report accepted.

Yea and nay vote called. Yea: Goshorn, Ferguson, Nelson, Williams, Edmonds, James H. Williams. Nays: None. Motion carried.

Minutes read and approved.

Moved by Ferguson, supported by Goshorn that the Board of Supervisors adjourn without date. Motion carried.

Frank Sales, Clerk. Rufus Edmonds, Chairman.

Special Session

June 24th, 1925

At a special session of the Board of Supervisors for the County of Crawford, commenced and held at the Court House in the Village of Grayling, on Wednesday, the 24th day of June, A. D. 1925.

Board met pursuant to call.

Present: William Ferguson, Floyd A. Goshorn, Anthony J. Nelson, James E. Kellogg, Rufus Edmonds, James H. Williams. Absent: None.

Moved by Nelson, supported by Williams that the Prosecuting Attorney notify every dog owner or harborer of a dog that has not paid his 1924 dog tax to do so at once or he will be prosecuted after ten days from notice. Motion carried.

Resignation.

To Whom it May Concern:

I hereby tender my resignation as

Grayling, June 22nd, 1925

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I hereby tender my resignation as

Yea and Nay vote called: Yea: Goshorn, Kellogg, Edmonds. Nays: Nelson, Williams. Motion carried.

Resolution.

Resolved that in consideration of the material facts relating to the liability of Edwin S. Chalker as shown by the audit of the County's books as submitted to this Board by competent authority, and from which it appears to this Board that there is existing at the termination of his service a deficit of \$1,554.23, which said amount is due and owing the County of Crawford by the said Edwin S. Chalker, and it being determined by this Board that the said Edwin S. Chalker is without immediate means to effect settlement for said amount so owing him to the County, and

Whereas the said Edwin S. Chalker has made suitable representation that he can and will replace the aforesaid amount in its entirety by depositing such amount with the County Treasurer of Crawford County, Michigan, on or before ten days from this date, Now therefore Be It Resolved that the said Edwin S. Chalker be granted a period of ten days from this date in which to make full complete settlement of the aforesaid amount.

Moved by Goshorn, supported by Kellogg that the foregoing resolution be accepted, approved and adopted.

Yea and nay vote called. Yea: Goshorn, Nelson, Kellogg, Edmonds, Williams. Nays: None. Motion carried.

Moved by Williams, supported by Goshorn that the Board adjourn until nine o'clock tomorrow morning. Motion carried.

Frank Sales, Clerk. Rufus Edmonds, Chairman.

Friday Session

June 26th, 1925

Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Roll called. Present: Edmonds, Williams, Kellogg, Goshorn, Nelson. Absent: None.

Moved by Kellogg, supported by Williams that the matter of plastering of the first floor of the Court House be placed with the chairman of the building committee, and the county clerk, and authority is herewith granted to said persons in charge thereof to contract with responsible parties for the completion thereof at a price of not to exceed 50 cents per square yard. Further, that the clerk and treasurer be and are hereby authorized to issue county warrant in payment thereof on presentation of invoices therefor endorsed for payment by said persons named in charge.

Yea and nay vote called. Yea: Kellogg, Nelson, Edmonds, Williams, Goshorn. Nays: None.

Moved by Kellogg, supported by Williams that the chairman of the County Building committee and the Clerk of this Board be and are herewith authorized to employ some suitable person to paint the interior of the County Jail, and the Clerk and Treasurer are herewith authorized to draw County warrant in payment thereof on presentation of itemized statements of the expense thus incurred, endorsed by the said persons herein named in charge, and that said persons be further authorized to install a ventilator of suitable design in the jail compartment and endorse the payment for same accordingly.

Yea and nay vote called. Yea: Goshorn, Nelson, Kellogg, Edmonds, Williams. Nays: None. Motion carried.

Moved by Kellogg, supported by Williams that the Board adjourn to tomorrow morning at nine o'clock in the forenoon. Motion carried.

Frank Sales, Clerk. Rufus Edmonds, Chairman.

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Report of Committee on Claims and Accounts

STATE OF MICHIGAN,

County of Crawford.

To the Board of Supervisors:

Your Committee on Claims and Accounts would respectfully submit the following as their report, and do hereby recommend that the several amounts scheduled herein be allowed, also that the Clerk of this Board be authorized to draw orders on the County Treasurer for the same.

John W. Payne, School Comm'r's bill	\$ 5.41	\$ 5.41
John W. Payne, School Comm'r's acct.	39.40	39.40
John W. Payne, School Comm'r's acct.	18.04	18.04
John W. Payne, School Comm'r's acct.	24.58	24.58
Philip Quigley, Deputy Sheriff's acct.	18.00	18.00
L. J. Kraus, hardware acct.	6.83	6.83
J. H. Shultz Co., supplies	1.55	1.55
Aene Chemical Co., supplies	7.80	7.80
E. S. Chalker, postage acct.	.25	.25
Ralph Hanna, deputy sheriff acct.	3.00	3.00
Salling Hanson Co., hardware acct.	2.75	2.75
Salling Hanson Co., water tax 1925	300.00	150.00
G. E. Shaw, agt., telegram acct.	.73	.73
Andrew Hart, abstracting acct.	6.20	6.20
Crawford Avalanche, printing acct.	47.50	47.50
J. E. Bobenmoyer, repair and decorating acct.	60.10	60.10
J. E. Bobenmoyer, sheriff's fees	5.00	5.00
J. E. Bobenmoyer, board bill acct.	28.40	28.40
J. E. Bobenmoyer, livery acct.	5.80	5.80
J. E. Bobenmoyer, sheriff's fees	30.35	30.35
J. E. Bobenmoyer, sheriff's fees	21.20	21.20
J. E. Bobenmoyer, board bill acct.	24.00	24.00
Grayling Telephone Co., telephone acct.	10.00	10.00
Frank Sales, postage acct.	1.10	1.10
Frank Sales, postage acct.	2.34	2.34
Emil Kraus, justice acct.	12.25	12.25
Emil Kraus, justice acct.	5.00	5.00
Emil Kraus, justice acct.	5.00	5.00
J. A. Cramer, plumbing acct.	19.00	19.00
J. E. Bobenmoyer, sheriff's acct.	30.36	30.36

Signed James H. Williams.

Anthony J. Nelson.

Moved by Kellogg, supported by Goshorn, that the report of the Committee of Claims and Accounts be accepted, approved and adopted.

Yea and nay vote called.

Yea: Goshorn, Nelson, Kellogg, Edmonds, Williams. Nays: None.

Motion carried.

Moved by Goshorn, supported by Williams that the bond of William Ferguson as County treasurer and the sureties thereon be accepted, approved and adopted.

Yea and nay vote called. Yea: Goshorn, Nelson, Kellogg, Edmonds, Williams. Nays: None. Motion carried.

Moved by Kellogg, supported by Williams that the bills of the several supervisors for attendance at this session and the Equalization session be accepted, approved and adopted, including payment for dog assessment as shown by their respective bills:

Floyd A. Goshorn \$22.16

Rufus Edmonds 24.90

William Ferguson 17.00

Tony Nelson 31.20

James H. Williams 27.98

J. E. Kellogg 26.10

Minutes of this session read and approved.

Moved by Nelson supported by Goshorn that this Board adjourn to tomorrow morning at nine o'clock in the forenoon. Motion carried.

Frank Sales, Clerk. Rufus Edmonds, Chairman.

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